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TOWN CRIER

BY W. GARTRELL

"Some day I'll pass by the Great Gates of Gold,
And see a man pass through, unquestioned and bold.
'A saint?' I'll ask, and old Peter'll reply:
'No, he carried a pass—he's a newspaper guy.'"

—Benjamin Scoville.

Our hats are off to the "news-paper guys" who are braving death and destruction in all the forms that the misguided brain of man has devised on the many battlefronts of the world in order that we may spice our morning coffee with a tale of a city devastated or a hospital blown to bits. It takes nerve of the first water deliberately to face personal danger for a deadline and probable death for a scoop. These men take their assignments as casually as a country correspondent works up the weekly activities of a little community and their stories represent an important authentic account of the wholesale destruction now in full and horrible cry. Perhaps demonstrating the theory that the "pen is mightier than the sword", the war reporter finds himself in nearly or quite as much danger as the fully armed soldier and with naught but his pen for protection. So here's to the newspaper guys. Give 'em Three Times Three!

Tightening an already effective blockade against reckless and or drunken driving, the City Fathers, ably aided and abetted by Sgt. McAllister, accounted for five offending drivers and issued warnings to fifteen others over the week-end. Of the five who paid to learn whether or not Middleburg means what she says when she warns of dangerous driving, were Lewis Buchanan of Kingsport, Tenn., operator of a Mason-Dixon truck, whose little burst of speed in a restricted zone

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325 Entries Compete In One Day Show At Litchfield

The Litchfield Horse Show, held at Litchfield, Conn., in commemoration of the 101st anniversary of the founding of the oldest show in New England that is still in operation, attracted over 325 entries last Saturday, August 10, a record for a one day show in the state this year. Historically, this exhibition, which was held for the benefit of the Shepard Knapp Farm of the Tribune Fresh Air Fund and the Conn. Junior Republic, has become the most important show in New England.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney S. Gilbert carried off major honors in the hunter division with a pair of chestnut mares from their Glendhu Farm of North Salem, N. Y. Their 6-year-old

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Bath County Award To Mrs. G. W. Hill's Balkonian

Progeny Of Allen Hirsh's *San Utar Outstanding In Breeding Classes

At the conclusion of the 13th annual 2-day Bath County Horse Show, Friday, August 9, in its "hanging valley" setting near Hot Springs, Va., two well known Virginia-circuit conformation hunters were tied on points. Judges O'Malley Knott of New York and J. North Fletcher of Warrenton called Mrs. George Watts Hill's **Balkonian** and George G. Lee's **Lee's Birthday** back into the ring. They studied them carefully as they had for 2 mornings, 2 afternoons and an evening, then gave the black son of **Balko** the conformation nod and thereby the Bath County tricolor.

This was not the first time that Mrs. Hill's "Quail Roost Stable" performers had succeeded in the Virginia hills so close to West Virginia. **Inky** and **Lucky Buck** had won both the Championship and Reserve in 1938 respectively and this year were content to back up their stablemate's blue-ribbon-winning with 3rds and 4ths. **Balkonian** was purchased in the fall of 1938 to make up a two black

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*Sickle Colt Brings \$18,000 At Saratoga; A. B. Hancock's Yearlings Average Well

Saratoga's first full week of nightly auctions ended on a considerably brighter note last Friday, August 9, than that which heralded the annual vendue seven nights earlier, with 53 yearlings from A. B. Hancock's Claiborne Stud in Kentucky grossing \$204,550.00 and averaging \$3,933.65. Though no individual from this consignment brought a price to compare with the \$20,000 which Manhasset Stable paid last year for a colt by ***Sir Gallahad III**—**Percussion**, by ***Omar Khayyam**, the prices were far from mean when one considers the times. Though **Percussion's** colt this year, by **Omaha**, brought the comparatively small figure of \$3,600, other offerings called forth results that made the evening on the whole a surprisingly successful one. The eight English yearlings which have excited so much comment since it was known that they were headed for the Spa sales ring, all brought commendable prices, with the chestnut colt by **Hyperion**—**Gwynlad**, by **Salmon Trout** bringing the top price of the entire evening. This youngster was bought by Christiana Stable for \$16,000 after his presence in the

Edgemont Doubles At Cumberland Over Jumps

R. L. Pearson's 10-Year-Old Gelding Performing On Flat And Over Jumps This Year

R. L. Pearson's 10-year-old gelding **Edgemont**, who has performed on the flat as well as over jumps this season, scored two straight steeplechase triumphs in rapid succession at Maryland's Cumberland Park last week. First the aged son of **Chatterton**—**Persian Blue**, being then second choice among eight starters, headed home the favorite **Judge's Bid** carrying the colors of M. B. Goss, Mrs. G. W. Rutt's **Gnomie**, Mrs. R. H. Clemson's **Suspect** and others in the 2 mile claiming brush affair on Thursday, August 8. Then just two days later, **Edgemont** went out one of the long shots in another 8-horse field and returned the winner, over the favored **Quakerstreet**, D. B. Barrows' mare, and Hugh J. O'Donovan's recent winner **Tam O'Shanter**, of The Duvall Handicap Steeplechase, paying his backers \$25.40 for a \$2 ticket.

In Thursday's race Jockey Mitchell kept **Edgemont** close to the pace of Mrs. C. L. Payne's **Sirford**, H. Cruz up, who had opened the way

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Ossabaw Captures 1st 'Chase Stake At Saratoga

Small Field Of Three Marks 37th Running Of \$2,500 Shillelah Handicap

Just as in the 1938 Shillelah, when **National Anthem**, ***Rioter** and **Lord Rock** made up the field, this \$2,500 added two mile handicap, first of Saratoga's four steeplechase stakes, again drew but three starters in its 37th running last Saturday, August 10, with Louis B. Mayer's **Ossabaw** leading from start to finish, followed by Sanford Stud Farm's ***L'Odeon**, while C. Mahlon Kline's **Whaddon Chase**, renowned stake winner of a year ago, broke down badly in the running, hobbled in a distant third and was later destroyed.

Scratches on the part of J. B. Brooks Parker's **Hunts** and F. Ambrose Clark's maiden **Night Heron** caused a disappointing reduction in the already small field and **Ossabaw**, despite topweight of 159 pounds, went to the post favorite with **Whaddon Chase**, who won The Jervis Spencer Handicap at Pimlico in his one other outing this year, second choice under 155 pounds. The French-bred ***L'Odeon**, who had proved so rank in his American debut two weeks ago that he was disqualified for fouling, was in light at 135, with odds of 3-1.

Jockey Mergler permitted **Ossabaw** to step to the front immediately, rating the son of ***Grandace** along under somewhat steady restraint, but at the same time keeping a safe margin between himself and Jockey Ball aboard ***L'Odeon** who was showing decided improvement over his former effort. **Whaddon**

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Don Patterson's Ard Patrick Avon Winner

By Alice B. Hevenor

Don W. Patterson's big chestnut gelding **Ard Patrick** was pinned Champion and Miss Elizabeth Ginter's bay mare **Sylvan Music** took the Reserve at the 2nd Annual Avon (N. Y.) Horse Show, held on August 3 at the Avon Springs race track, where many a fine show has been held in days gone by and where the best of the Genesee Valley young stock will be judged at the Genesee Valley Breeders' Association Show in September.

In qualifying for his Championship, **Ard Patrick** made a nice performance over the 13 jumps of an extensive outside course to win the

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The Horseman's News

Harp Weaver Best In Granite State For Mrs. Barnett

Daughter Of *Challenger II Captures First Stake To Lead Dixiana Stable's Star Boarder

Mrs. Harry Barnett's Harp Weaver, Maryland-bred daughter of *Challenger II, scored the first stake victory of her career last Saturday when she lead Dixiana Stable's Star Boarder, W. E. Johnson's Robespierre, Mrs. W. R. Flemming's Loveday and others across the line in the day's featured \$4,000 added Granite State Handicap. Though this was her first major triumph, it was the second time within the week that the 5-year-old mare had scored at Rockingham, as well as the second time that Harp Weaver had taken the measure of Star Boarder, who had followed her home in a mile and 1-16 allowance race on August 6. The Granite was of the same distance and the mare accomplished it in 1:46 2-5, some 2-5 of a second better time than her previous effort and 3 1-5 seconds off the track record. Her triumph over Loveday was of some significance as well, for the latter has been the winner on two occasions recently when Harp Weaver numbered among the also rans, once in The Hannah Dustin Handicap at Suffolk on July 6 and again on August 3 in a minor handicap at Rockingham Park. Harp Weaver' share of the Granite State purse netted her owner \$3,460.

Rex Flag, Mrs. Louise Viau's home-bred son of the late Virginia sire *Omar Khayyam, turned in his best performance of the season to date when he lead home a respectable field of Class C horses at Saratoga on August 7, to win the 7 furlong Martingale Handicap. The field included Volitant, Our Mat, San Felipe Handicap winner, Armor Bearer and others. It was Rex Flag's first accounting this year, though he has been only twice out of the money in his six other starts and finished second on four occasions. Once he was second to Westnesia when the latter broke the track record for a mile and 1-8 at Aqueduct, in The Fayette Handicap on June 15. As a 3-year-old in 1937, Rex Flag won The Empire City Handicap and The Kenner Stakes at Saratoga.

Following is a list of winners by sires from all East Coast states which have scored during the past seven days, from Wednesday, August 7, through Tuesday, August 13.

***AETHELSTAN II (Md.)**
French Horn, 2, br. c. (Mad Beth, by Mad Hatter), RkP., Aug. 9, 5 1/2 f., mdns., cl., 1:08 1-5 \$ 600
Middle Aisle, 2, ch. c. (Church Parade, by Disolvay), Sar., Aug. 9, 5 1/2 f., M. Sp. W., 1:06 2-5 \$ 775
BOATSWAIN (Mass.)
Ocean Bound, 2, br. f. (Beloved, by Whisk Broom II), RkP., Aug. 8, 5 1/2 f., cl., 1:07 2-5 \$ 600
BRANDON MINT (Va.)
Star of Padula, 4, b. c. (Binary Star, by North Star III), Sar., Aug. 7, 1 1/4 mi., cl., 1:52 3-5 \$ 775
BUD LERNER (Md.)
Ruth Lerner, 5, b. m. (Ruth Tidings, by Sir Greysteel), ThD., Aug. 10, 1 mi., 40 yds., cl., 1:42 2-5 \$ 425
CAID (Va.)
Brainchild, 5, ch. m. (Hothrain, by Souviens Toi), Cum., Aug. 7, 5 f., cl., 57 3-5 \$ 300
CANTER (Md.)
Gay Bride, 7, ch. m. (Julie, by Berrill-don), Cum., Aug. 9, 6 1/2 f., cl., 1:22 \$ 300
Jig, 3, ch. f. (Miligado, by Glencairn), Cgt., Aug. 8, 5 1/2 f., cl., 1:10 \$ 200
Moon Harvest, 6, ch. g. (Moon Vine, by Trap Rock), Cum., Aug. 7, 1 1-16 mi., cl., 1:53 2-5 \$ 300

CARUSO (N. J.)
Danarco, 6, b. g. (*Diana D., by Roi Herode), HmO., Aug. 10, 6 f., cl., 1:14 4-5 \$ 525
***CHALLENGER II (Md.)**
Chalpeggy, 3, br. f. (Imagination II, by Buchan), RkP., Aug. 10, 1 1-16 mi., cl., 1:49 2-5 \$ 600
Harp Weaver, 5, b. m. (St. Prisca, by St. James), RkP., Aug. 10, 1 1-16 mi., Granite State 'Cap., 1:46 2-5 \$ 3,460
***CHILHOWEE (Va.)**
Lord Dean, 11, ch. g. (Dorothy Dean, by Marchmont II), Cgt., Aug. 8, 1 mi., 70 yds., cl., 1:46 1-5 \$ 200
Wee Princess, 8, b. m. (Veiled Princess, by Prince Pal), HmO., Aug. 7, 5 1/2 f., cl., 1:08 \$ 525
DRESS PARADE (Va.)
Hop, 6, ch. g. (Chatter Anne, by Chatterton), Sar., Aug. 9, ab-t 2 mi., chase, cl., 4:18 4-5 \$ 850
ED CRUMP (Va.)
False Dawn, 5, ch. g. (Sunup, by Olambala), Sa., Aug. 13, about 2 mi., chase, 4:21 \$ 850
FLAG POLE (Va.)
Soon, 4, b. c. (Notime, by Vulcain), RkP., Aug. 13, 1 1-16 mi., cl., 1:49 1-5 \$ 600
***GRANDACE (E. I.)**
Country Ace, 4, ch. g. (Verity, by Ivan the Terrible), ThD., Aug. 13, 1 mi., 40 yds., cl., 1:41 2-5 \$ 625
Ossabaw, 6, blk. g. (Eileen W., by Knight of the Garter), Sar., Aug. 10, ab-t 2 mi., Shillelah Stp. 'Cap., 4:18 1-5 \$ 2,375
GRAND TIME (Va.)
Rough Command, 2, ch. c. (Bay Ordy, by Light Brigade), RkP., Aug. 12, 5 1/2 f., allow., 1:07 1-5 \$ 600
GREY COAT (Va.)
Acute, 5, ch. g. (Subtle, by Huon), ThD., Aug. 7, 1 mi., 5 1/2 f., cl., 2:56 \$ 525
***HAPPY ARGO (Va.)**
Gay Frank, 3, dk. b. f. (Mischief, by Aberglaube), Cum., Aug. 10, 6 1/2 f., cl., 1:21 \$ 300
Happy Vote, 5, b. m. (Early Vote, by Ed Crump), RkP., Aug. 13, 6 f., cl., 1:13 1-5 \$ 600
Sky Hostess, 7, red ch. m. (Flying Field, by Campfire), Cum., Aug. 10, 1 1-16 mi., 'cap., 1:48 \$ 425
***HILLTOWN (Va.)**
The Mount, 3, b. f. (Beaungham, by Sun Beau, or Sun Briar), Sar., Aug. 7, 8 f., M. Sp. W., 1:13 2-5 \$ 775
HYDROMEL (Va.)
Young Agnes, 6, b. m. (Lost Agnes, by Out the Way), ThD., Aug. 9, 1 mi., 40 yds., cl., 1:43 \$ 425
JACK HIGH (N. J.)
Cape Race, 5, ch. g. (Cape Rose, by Chance Play), ThD., Aug. 9, 6 f., cl., 1:13 1-5 \$ 425
Fogoso, 5, ch. g. (Paloma, by Golden Sun), Sar., Aug. 8, 7 f., cl., 1:24 1-5 \$ 775
Gay Jack, 6, ch. g. (Gay O'Mar, by Gay Ronald), Cgt., Aug. 12, 5 1/2 f., cl., 1:08 \$ 200
High Blame, 4, b. g. (Blame, by *Wrack), WP., Aug. 8, 1 1/4 mi., cl., 1:53 \$ 700
High Honors, 4, ch. g. (Chicomonde, by Chicle), HmO., Aug. 10, 6 1/2 f., cl., 1:21 \$ 525
High Scope, 4, lt. b. g. (Stefana, by Stefan the Great), Sar., Aug. 13, 8 f., 1:12 \$ 775
J. FRED A. (Md.)
Jacamar, 7, br. g. (Mary A., by Fair Gain), Cum., Aug. 9, about 2 mi., 'chase, cl., 3:51 2-5 \$ 350
JOHN P. GRIER (N. J.)
Tarpon, 12, ch. g. (Marina, by Man o'War), ThD., Aug. 8, 6 f., allow., 1:12 2-5 \$ 425
JUDGE HAY (Va.)
Potranco, 3, b. g. (Essie Wessie, by Sir Peter), WP., Aug. 13, 6 f., allow., 1:11 4-5 \$ 850
***KANTAR (Md.)**
Kandabar, 8, b. or br. g. (El Zauria, by Dark Legend), WP., Aug. 9, 1 1/4 mi., cl., 2:07 2-5 \$ 700
***LANCEGAYE (Va.)**
Lovely Dawn, 2, b. f. (Pretty Night, by Nocturnal), RkP., Aug. 7, 5 1/2 f., allow., 1:07 1-5 \$ 675
LUCULLITE (Va.)
Glitter Girl, 2, dk. br. f. (Humbbug, by Marathon), Cum., Aug. 7, 5 f., cl., 59 \$ 300
MILKMAN (Va.)
Early Morn, 4, ch. f. (Timely, by High Time), RkP., Aug. 10, 6 f., 'cap., 1:11 2-5 \$ 850
Milk Punch, 5, blk. h. (Amusement, by Hourless), RkP., Aug. 10, 6 f., cl., 1:12 2-5 \$ 750
MINT BRIAR (Md.)
Mint Sand, 3, b. g. (Sand Play, by Danger Rock), ThD., Aug. 7, 1 mi., 70 yds., cl., 1:43 1-5 \$ 525
NEDDIE (Va.)
Sweet Leilani, 4, b. f. (Sun Magic, by Sun Briar), Dmr., Aug. 9, 1 1-16 mi., cl., 1:47 \$ 525
***OMAR KHAYYAM (Va.)**
Rippling On, 2, ch. f. (Rippling Crimp, by Crimper), Cum., Aug. 8, 5 f., allow., 56 1-5 \$ 300
Rex Flag, 6, ch. g. (Pennant Queen, by Pennant), Sar., Aug. 7, 7 f., Class C 'cap., 1:25 3-5 \$ 1,025
PETEE-WRACK (Md.)
Nipantuck, 8, ch. g. (Chickadee, by Omar Khayyam), RkP., Aug. 12, 6 f., cl., 1:13 \$ 600
Odessa's Pride, 5, ch. g. (Celiva, by Celt), ThD., Aug. 8, 1 mi., 40 yds., allow., 1:42 \$ 525
Purple Wrack, 4, b. g. (Purple Ruby, by Sir Gallahad III), Dad., Aug. 9, 6 f., cl., 1:12 3-5 \$ 425
PILATE (Va.)
Miss B. B., 3, blk. f. (Grape Sugar, by Menifee), Sar., Aug. 12, 1 1/4 mi., cl., 1:54 \$ 775
POMPEY (Va.)
Ridge, 5, ch. m. (Ledger, by Friar Rock), HmO., Aug. 7, 1 1/4 mi., 'cap., 1:55 \$ 700
Sextus, 5, b. g. (Enticing, by Over There), Dmr., Aug. 8, 1 1-16 mi., cl., 1:48 \$ 525
Stella Gold, 2, ch. f. (Fair Stella, by Wrack), Dmr., Aug. 7, 5 1/2 f., cl., 1:08 \$ 525
***SAN UTAR (Va.)**
Hammel, 9, ch. g. (Spanish Miss, by Spanish Prince II), Cgt., Aug. 9, 1 mi., 70 yds., cl., 1:48 \$ 200

Interest Aroused In Maryland Breeders Ass'n. Show

So much interest has been voiced by Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania breeders in the Breeding Show of Thoroughbreds and Half-Breds, to be held in connection with The Maryland State Fair at Timonium on September 9, that it has been decided by the committee to divide the classes for 2-year-olds, 3-year-olds and 4-year-olds into separate divisions for thoroughbreds and half-breds. At first it was planned to follow this course only if sufficient entries were received. Already entries have started coming in and promises of many more have been assured.

A most interesting feature of this show, managed by the Maryland Horse Breeders' Association is that of having the judge, William du Pont, Jr., announce after each class the reasons for his decisions, thus increasing the spectator interest as well as making the affair one of educational merit for the individual exhibitor. In addition to events for 2, 3 and 4-year-olds, there will be classes for Thoroughbred Stallions, Thoroughbred Mares, Half-Bred Foals, suitable to become hunters, Thoroughbred Yearlings, colts and fillies separate, and Half-Bred Yearlings, suitable to become hunters.

SCOTCH BROOM (Va.)
Royal Dot, 3, ch. f. (Royal Girl, by Royal Canopy), Cum., Aug. 8, 6 1/2 f., cl., 1:22 \$ 300
***STROLLING PLAYER (Va.)**
Ball Player, 2, ch. g. (Halicore, by Sir Martin), RkP., Aug. 10, 5 1/2 f., allow., 1:07 3-5 \$ 675
Landlubber, 5, ch. g. (Rough Sea, by Sea Sick), Sar., Aug. 13, 1 1/4 mi., cl., 1:55 \$ 775
One Night, 6, ch. g. (Fairlee, by Bright Knight), Dad., Aug. 9, 6 f., cl., 1:13 3-5 \$ 425
***SUN BRIAR (Va.)**
Sun Fighter, 6, dk. ch. g. (Pugnacity II, by Gay Crusader), RkP., Aug. 8, 1 1-16 mi., cl., 1:48 4-5 \$ 600
***TEDDY (Va.)**
Teddy Haslam, 7, b. g. (Sweetheart, by

Army Seeking Horses Adhere To Strict Requirements

Major E. H. deSaussure, head of the Army Horse Purchasing Board, and Captain S. J. Michael, Army veterinarian, turned down some 40 horses in their rigid inspection of Loudoun and Fairfax county animals near Herndon, Va., on August 6, as they searched for horses suitable for service in the Artillery and Cavalry Corps.

Three out of 15 applicants were accepted earlier in the day at the farm of J. Donald Hemsley, near Arcola, Va. These brought an average price of \$165 and were sent to the Remount station at Front Royal.

Major deSaussure plans to visit other sections of the state, also Maryland and Pennsylvania in his search for army horses. According to Captain Michael, Army specifications require that such horses must be from 4 to 8 years old, solid in color, no less than 16 hands high and must weigh from 950 to 1,200 pounds. Geldings are preferred, but mares will be accepted if they are outstanding.

Ultimus, HmO., Aug. 8, 6 1/2 f., cl., 1:22 2-5 \$ 525
TIME MAKER (Va.)
Mon Time, 3, b. c. (Mon Amie Nane, by Prince Eugene), RkP., Aug. 12, 1 1-16 mi., cl., 1:48 3-5 \$ 675
WAR HERO (Md.)
Brave Miss, 2, ch. f. (Miligado, by Glencairn), Cgt., Aug. 7, 5 f., mdns., cl., 1:03 1-5 \$ 200
WAVE ON (Md.)
Navigation, 3, ch. g. (Weatherly, by Constitution), Cum., Aug. 9, 5 f., cl., 55 2-5 \$ 350
WESTWICK (Va.)
Sanwick, 2, ch. f. (Yosan, by Crimper), Sar., Aug. 12, 6 f., cl., 1:12 2-5 \$ 775
Westing, 3, ch. f. (Lespedeza, by Durbar II), Cum., Aug. 7, 6 1/2 f., cl., 1:27 1-5 \$ 300
Wicket, 4, br. g. (Priores, by Pommern), WP., Aug. 10, 1 1/2 mi., cl., 2:38 \$ 700
WHISKAWAY (Va.)
Float Away, 4, dk. b. g. (Zeta, by Courtship), WP., Aug. 8, 6 f., 'cap., 1:11 2-5 \$ 850

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Hunting Notes:-



Traders Point Lays Many Drag Lines For Cross-Breds

Hunting Near Indianapolis Is Mostly Drag With A Few Days For Foxes In Vicinity

The Traders Point Hunt kennels is located about 14 miles north of Indianapolis, Ind. near Royalton. There Huntsman Carl Marsh, who graduated last March from kennel huntsman and whipper-in to this capacity, greeted The Chronicle on Tuesday, July 31. There are far better days in the year to visit hounds and hunts than in the latter days of July and early August, but this department had no other choice and accepted an advantageous opportunity with keen interest.

Still in the doldrums of summer, Huntsman Marsh had his kennels in good order, despite the demands of haying and the vacation days of whipper-in staff members. Seventeen and a half couple of cross-bred hounds were inspected and 8 couple of puppies.

Traders Point was established in 1931 and recognized in 1934. Original drafts were made from Camargo and Golden's Bridge Hunts, and thus came foundation blood. Among the Camargo hounds were Gadfly, Dutchess, Messenger and Stainless and they were fondly called "The Last Of The Camargo". They came to drag hunt, and to act as brood-bitches and stallion hounds. So they did, and so the hunt has prospered and progressed.

Stallion hounds of the current seasons are Rolling Rock Bismark, a sturdy big English sort, who unfortunately, is man-shy, but hunts well, and Hotspur, sired by an English hound and out of an American hunting bitch. Good examples of the latter's get are Hiram, who is better in front than his sire, and is proving a good hunter, and Hardwood, by Hiram, a grand-son of Hotspur, who holds to the drag line with real persistency. Hotspur also has 3 couple of puppies out of one of the best 1/2 American 1/2 English bitches that ever packed a line for this Hunt.

Because of the wire in the country, Traders Point seems to be looking for a small very compact cross-bred type of hound. Something that can get through the hog-wire, that has good cry, and is not too fast and still can work out a line under difficult scenting conditions.

From the interview with Cornelius O. Alig M. F. H. and Huntsman Marsh, it was learned that the dragman utilizes rather a large piece of burlap kept under the fox's kennel and in consequence a pretty heavy

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Chagrin Valley's English Hounds Ready For Cubs

29 1/2 Couple In Pack Appear In Excellent Condition In Spite Of Hot July Weather

With the water system out of whack and Huntsman Jack Smith of Chagrin Valley Hounds away on his vacation, First-Whipper-in Tom Perry has had a busy spell of it these past weeks, carrying water in buckets from the nearby stream in Gates Mills, Ohio. Despite this water shortage, and with no advance word of The Chronicle's intended visit, the establishment was found to be very ship-shape and tidy that Sunday, July 21, with the kennels showing 29 1/2 couples of proud English beauties awaiting their August cubbing activities, while weathering the hottest spell of the year.

Chagrin Valley Hunt's Tackler, along with Mr. Ruffler, 1933, he carrying the Ranter blood of the Brandywine, serve as Stallion Hounds. Ruffler is known as "the old man" of the Kennels. These hounds have some excellent individuals and in general, a very level lot of youngsters will enter this year. Ruffler is responsible for Ranter, Rightman, Raider, Rasper and Render, while Tarnisher has Taylor and from Mr. Stewart's Cheshire Hounds have been drafted Goblin, Gordon, Sandon and Brandon.

The young entry includes 4 1/2 couples of bitches in Ruffler's Rakish, Racquet, Radiant, Rally and Rosebud, while from Mr. Stewart's Cheshire have come Sanity, Gos-somer, Brenda and Willful.

All the brood bitches are Chagrin Valley bred, showing good bone and feet, with good sensible heads. Gamble is an exceedingly good sort, proves a good hunter through the field and this year raised a litter of 8. Others included Grateful, sporting the typical color of Rolling Rock Hounds, Wary, Wishful, Rival, Rocket, Hemlock and Gossip.

Huntsman Smith and Whipper-in Perry are commencing their 3rd season with Chagrin. Since their coming the pack has been leveled down a lot. In another year, with the addition of the present fine young entry and the many crack-ing puppies inspected, the Chagrin pack will be one of the most stylish working ones in the land. During the past two years many Hounds have been drafted.

There are 17 couple of Chagrin Valley puppies, with 6 out on walk with Mrs. Corliss Sullivan, whose late husband was once Master of this Hunt. The puppies inspected were loose in large runs wherein the

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Notes From Great Britain

Curtailment In Racing May Promote "Flapping" But Without Best Horses

By J. Fairfax-Blakeborough

The faint possibility of some Autumn racing has had no reaction upon north country training establishments as it is recognized that any resumption would probably be at Newmarket only. The die has been cast in the north, owners and trainers have hardened their hearts to the inevitable, and now look upon the Turf flat season of 1940 as ended and the National Hunt season of 1940-41 as likely to be a blank. So is it that "send them to the kennels" has been the verdict passed recently by many owners of moderate race horses who prefer that their horses should be destroyed rather than that they should be sold for a few pounds and so pass into slavery. The much reduced number of foxhounds in kennels all over Great Britain has been kept supplied with fresh meat—that of equine aristocrats which have passed direct from a life of luxury into another sphere of sport without an intermediate period of misery. The famous Earl of Glasgow would never sell any of his race horses. He had occasional trials at Middleham and those of his racers which gave no promise of being a success and were valueless for breeding, were shot forthwith and sent to the Bedale Hunt kennels. It may be questioned whether the hot-tempered Earl was acting out of affection for his horses, or more because he could not tolerate the idea of someone buying his cast-offs and possibly proving his judgement wrong by winning races with them. Many owners and trainers have had to suffer this mortification over animals which they have sold at small figures as useless. On the other hand there are quite a lot of pukka sportsmen who do look upon their horses as something more than mere merchandise, and gambling machines. It was Whyte Melville who referred to "The pearl of my casket....The gentlest, the

gamest—the boldest, the best", and said "I will never part by a sale or a swop." Another of our poets wrote:

Full many a horse of purest blood, I ween,
Of man's blind ignorance must bear the stab.

Full many a racer has to blush unseen,
Between the blinkers of a London cab.

Cabs are a thing of the past, the Continental horse-meat trade is suspended, but there are still hawker's carts, riding schools and flapping meetings.

There is always the danger that a check in the Turf program, the end of little country meetings, or the centralisation of racing will encourage the revival of unauthorised meetings known as 'flaps'. No matter how straight the promoters of this type of racing may wish to keep it, the lack of authority, influence, and power to enforce punishment, together with the little stigma attached to such punishment, all makes for conduct and practice opposed in every way to true sport. I have never been able to discover the origin of the description 'flapping', but it has always been used in a derogatory sense and centuries ago, to 'flap' was a common term for robbing and swindling, for which the unauthorised meetings, once so numerous, were notorious. We are relieved to think that the thoroughbreds which are perforce being destroyed are spared the degradation of any of the uses I have detailed. Much preferable is a bullet which mercifully sends them to the happy hereafter which Whyte Melville (and not he alone) believed awaited our horse and dog friends.

Some thoroughbreds have been turned out to grass to await the return of happier times. They will thrive all right in the summer but blood 'uns have too fine a coat to stand a hard winter in the open. We have seen them under such shelter as they can get from hedge or tree—miserable looking objects, poor in condition, evidently unhappy and out of their element. If they are not brought up from grass they will take a year to recover from a severe winter, even if they do not go wrong in their wind as the result of the running-nose colds they so often get.

If they are stabled the question of forage arises. The expense of keeping such horses for an indefinite period will be considerable so that only the best of them—those likely to recoup their owners—and favourite animals will be retained.

This naturally brings one to the much-discussed question of whether the destruction of so many thoroughbreds will mean that when it becomes possible to resume racing on normal lines, bloodstock will be at a premium. Personally I do not think so. Had the war given opportunities (as did the last) of fortune making there would have been more competition for yearlings and other race horses. The financial status of almost everyone in Great Britain and on the Continent will be such at the end of hostilities that very, very few will be able to launch out into heavy Turf expenditure. Of course when the Turf machinery gets into motion again there is bound to be demand for bloodstock but I do not imagine that demand will be greater than supply so that there is no likelihood of inflation on this score, even if the money was forthcoming to inflate, or even to cause fancy prices for individual animals. It may be that sportsmen and breeders (I don't know why one makes the distinction, for the one is usually the other) in U. S. A. will be considerable buyers, hoping that prices will balance the greatly increased cost of shipping. In due course France may have to buy largely from this country to which breeders from every part of the world must come from time to time for bloodstock. I say this despite the fact that both U. S. A. and France have now got some of the best blood. The position of studs in the latter country is still not at all clear. I personally have not had a line since the fall of Paris from friends who have studs in Normandy. One can only hope that Hitler and his henchmen have too many worries to pay attention to studs or training stables.

Several famous bloodstock breeders have dispersed their studs, the latest being Lady James Douglas, who is keeping only Gainsborough. Her ladyship started her breeding establishment near Newbury, in 1911 with the assistance of John Porter. She bred Gainsborough which failed to reach his reserve of 2500gs as a yearling so was sent into training and won Lady James the 1918 Derby, Two thousand Gs, and other important stakes. It was an American who went as far as 2,250 gs for this good sire and had he sprung another 250gs it is probable that Lady Douglas would have confined her attention to her stud and not embarked upon running horses. She was the first lady to lead in a Derby winner and to win the Oaks. The latter event fell to her in 1919 with Bayuda. The 1930 winner, Rose of England, was also bred by her. After all running a bloodstock stud is one of the biggest lotteries, albeit one of the most fascinating and expensive.

It seems certain that stallion fees will have to come down although despite hard times and uncertainty several sires commanding a high fee are booked up for 1941. That certainly is encouraging evidence of faith in the future. Nevertheless the number is very limited who from 1941 onwards, for the rest of our life time, will be in a position to pay 100 gs and more for their mares to be mated and I doubt if owners of sires like Blue Peter, Foxhunter, Donatillo, Nearco, will continue to

receive 400gs for service. Amongst other stallions for which big fees were asked this season are *Mieuxce*, *Mid-day Sun* and *Precipitation* 300gs each. *Cameronian's* fee was reduced to £198, *Dastur*, *Epigram*, *Felstead*, and *Fair Trial* commanded £148 each, whilst *Orwell's* fee for the duration has been reduced from £198 to £98. Such figures could only continue so long as there exist people willing to pay big prices for yearlings by 'fashionable' sires.

I am interested to hear from Mr. Claude Parkinson of Rotorua, New Zealand that Cleveland Bays are increasing in popularity in that country and that more stallions of this breed will be required so soon as peace times return and shipping becomes normal. Mr. Parkinson, who manages a stud in New Zealand, has been using the Cleveland stallion *Invincible* and has an excellent colt foal by him who has so impressed hunting men that some of the best mares in the country have been promised him. One week-end recently Mr. Parkinson had over two hundred prominent horse breeders to see his Clevelands and the thoroughbred stallion *Chatsworth* at the Arawa Stud. He writes:

"New Zealand is to Australia what Ireland is to England as regards horse breeding. No doubt the iodine saturated sea-breezes of this small island help to produce some exceptionally well-grown horses and so excellent has been the stock got by Cleveland Bay sires from all types of mares that there is certain to be a big demand for more of the old Yorks breed so soon as the war is over."

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The Turf

By Salvator

Editor's Note: It is with very deep appreciation that The Chronicle welcomes the dean of American Turf writers, Salvator. The Chronicle feels there is no one better qualified to speak on the turf and The Chronicle is very glad to be able to announce that Salvator will contribute a regular column for our thoroughbred racing department from his wealth of turf lore that is always so inimitably expressed.

The writer has been invited to contribute to The Chronicle, from week to week, something in the nature of an informal chat with its readers. The stipulation was that nothing "set," formal or hard-and-fast was desired. But, on the contrary, something that was casual, easy-going and not hard to read. . . Something that would be of general interest and, along that line, devoted to any topic that the writer felt like touching upon. It was intimated that he might now and then think aloud, if he felt like it, as one sometimes does among friends, the readers of The Chronicle being, first and last, friends of the horse and of each other, their devotion to turf and field being based upon that sentiment and motivated by it.

That is the kind of an invitation that it is difficult to decline if, like the writer, what one writes is of kindred inspiration. As between friends it may be submitted that your scribe began trying to write about race horses and racing at a very tender age, just for his own edification? Later on, as he found that it was going to be impossible for him to stop, he began to wonder if that might not be made his life work? He recalled the lines of Longfellow, in one of the poems that he had learned to recite as a youngster:

"For his heart was in his work,
and the heart

Giveth grace unto every art;" and he realized that his heart, as a worker, would never be in anything but writing about horses. That is, not in the way it ought to be. And that if he was compelled to turn to something else, it would be in a half-hearted way and with the outcome of being a square peg forced into a round hole.

That was a long while ago. And he is happy to day that he wasn't. His determination to be a turf writer triumphed—by virtue of its determination, if the pun be allowable. As also the fact that he came of a family of horsemen and received much encouragement, and guidance, of the kind most beneficial, from his immediate paternal ancestor, to whom horses and horsemanship were a sort of religion.

Still, it was none too easy at that. Back in those days it was no facile task to storm the breastworks. And for years—yes, years—the young aspirant followed his trade at his own expense, not only glad but proud to get into print upon these terms. The mere matter of being printed was sufficient! Nor was it then as yet necessary that he should "earn his own living." He was not yet a voter and the parental domicile was still his home and haven.

Meanwhile he was learning two all-important things. To wit:

(1) What was worth writing; and
(2) How to write it. These are the indispensable assets of the turf writer. As for the first, that can only

Randle's Gee Ray Bee Westminister Victor In Hunting Classes

U. S. Randle's flashy chestnut gelding Randle's Gee Ray Bee proved outstanding among the Virginia owner's Fairfax stable string showing at the 6th Annual Westminster Riding Club's Horse and Pony Show in Westminster, Md., last Saturday, August 10, carrying off the Hunter Championship over a number of creditable performers from both Pennsylvania and Maryland, as well as his own stablemates. The Randle horses made a clean sweep of the Model Hunter class, as Judges Lewis E. Wallihan and Mrs. Ruth H. Guitar pinned the blue in this event on Randle's Gee Ray Bee, 2nd on Randle's Top Mast and 3rd on the well known grey gelding Randle's Nite. Gee Ray Bee was also 1st in the Green Hunters, being placed over Rose Hill Farm's He'll Try, and 2nd to Top Mast in the Hunter Hacks, while Randle's Shadow, another grey, was 1st in the Open Hunters.

That good jumping Maryland mare Toots, made, owned and ridden by John T. Sadler, Jr., of Cockeysville, outscored the two Pennsylvania open jumpers Ten High, exhibited by James P. Duffy III, and

be earned by loving horses, living with them and studying and seeing their performances, pedigrees and history, as also those of the men that breed, own and handle them; trying, as best one can, to understand them or to guess as best one may, from sound premises, when knowledge fails. As for the second, there is only one way to learn how to write—about horses or anything else—which is (unless one happens to be a writer by the grace of God, which happens about once in ten thousand times) to study the best models and then to inject something individual and your own into the style you form upon them.

As I look back to them, my early efforts were extremely imitative. It took a long while to free myself from that tendency. It also takes time for any young writer about horses to free himself from echoing the opinions, as well as the manner, of his patron saints. For, in fact, the curse of all writing, as also of all thinking, upon horses and everything else, is to reiterate the ideas, and opinions of others because it is the easy way. He who comes to practice it becomes merely another "vox et preterea nihil".

It is the hope of the new contributor to The Chronicle that he may be able to offer its readers something of his own, said in his own way, that will interest and perhaps at times entertain them. And in that way to fulfill the editor's intention in giving what he has to say a place in its columns. Having said which he craves their indulgence, assures them that his intentions are honorable and, until next week, bids them, with all good wishes, adieu.

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Sonny Baker's well mannered pony Spice, of the 11 hand division, who showed to such advantage at My Lady's Manor the previous week, continued his winning stride, taking both saddle and jumping events over such other notable little per-

formers as Louise Murray's Silver, H. O. Firor's Twinkle, and was 2nd in the Lead Rein Ponies and 3rd in the Touch And Out, all of which led to the eventual Pony Championship. In winning this final honor, this good little chestnut mare was placed above the recent Manor Champion, Miss Virginia, Anne Chew Green's pony of the 13 hands division, as well as Charles Freeland's excellent Irish pony *Limerick Lace II, H. O. Firor's Prince and Chit Chat and many others.

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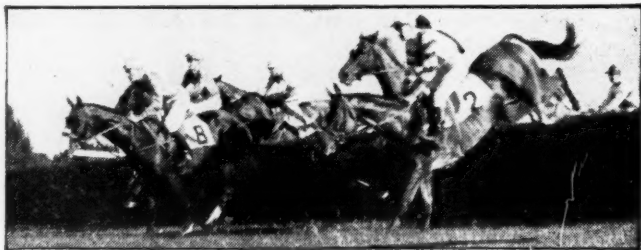
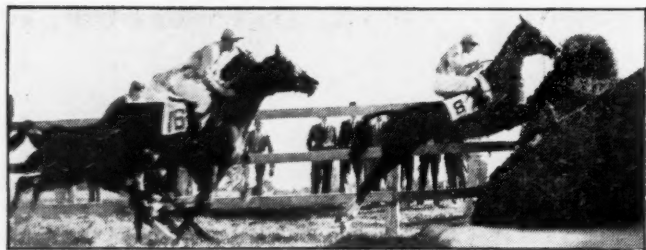
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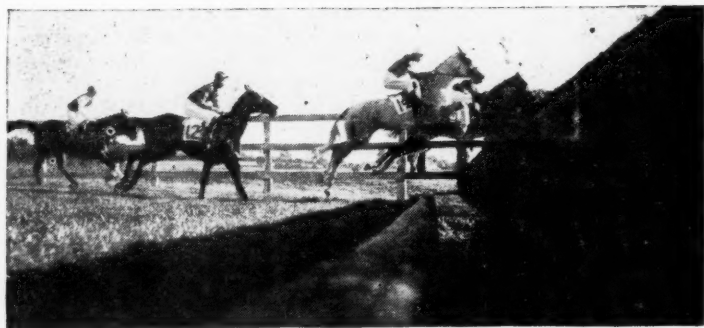
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7th Annual National Cup Looms On September Horizon



These scenes from the National Cup, held in conjunction with the Cecil County Breeders' Fair and Horse Show at Fair Hill, Md., call to mind that this great brush classic is less than a month away, with entries closing on August 31. Last year's winner of this "longest, highest fenced and biggest pursed" hunt meeting steeplechase over the now famous William duPont designed course, was Emile Pfizer's FARNDALE, Mr. Sidney Watters, Jr. up, and No. 12 in the picture at right. The winner of the 1938 running, shown above, was Warner Baltazzi's AD LIB, ridden by Mr. Johnny Harrison. Below is shown Brookmeade's National Anthem (8) leading the 1939 field over the first fence. The race will be run this year on September 7.



Shillelah Handicap Winner Ossabaw—M. Mergler Up



Louis B. Mayer's OSSABAW, who took a turn at flat racing on the West Coast, following his five straight brush victories in the east two years ago, then returned this year to score in Belmont's rich Corinthian Steeplechase Handicap, added another steeplechase stake to his list when he headed in Sanford Stud Farm's *L'ODEON and Mahlon Kline's ill-fated WHADDON CHASE in the 37th running of the Shillelah Steeplechase Handicap at Saratoga, last Saturday, August 10. Above the black son of *GRANDACE—EILEEN W. is shown leading *COTTESMORE over the water in the Corinthian last May.

SARATOGA SALES

Continued from Page One

\$7,406.00. With the exception of one filly by **Reigh Count** which went for \$950, none of this group sold for less than \$5.100. The second high in the consignment was the \$12,000 which Millsdale Stable paid for a colt by ***Blenheim II—One Hour**, by ***Snob II**.

The opening night of last week, when 45 yearlings went through the ring to bring a total of \$40,975 and average \$910, saw a sharp increase in the bidding over the preceding Friday's introductory sale. That night 48 colts and fillies brought \$36,875 and averaged \$768, while the top price of the evening was \$2,500. On Monday night, however, the bidding reached a high of \$5,800. This sum was paid by Milky Way Farm for a Jack High colt out of **Sweet Mary**, by **Dick Welles**, from the consignment of L. F. Holton.

It was the following night that produced the decided upward trend in the yearling market, however, with a colt by ***Pharamond II—La Chica**, by **Sweep** bringing a rapid succession of mounting bids which resulted in his going to W. E. Boeling for \$15,000. This colt, consigned by the Hon. Leslie Combs, Agent, topped the night's sale with the second high being the \$10,000 which Mrs. E. G. Lewis paid for a colt by **Broadside—*Friseur**, by ***Sweeper** from the consignment of Leslie Combs II. The 15 Belair yearlings of William Woodward sold that evening for a total of \$28,300.00 and averaged \$1,886.00. The \$6,100 which Walter Chrysler, Jr., paid for a daughter of ***Sir Gallahad III—Periwinkle**, by **Clarissimus** proved a bigger price than was brought by any individual in the consignment from this same establishment last year, though the average this year was little more than half the amount averaged by 12 Belair yearlings in 1939.

Tuesday Night, August 6	
Property of Holly Beach Farm (Labrot & Co.)	
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B. c. by *Kantar—Thine Alone , by Stimulus; Manhasset Stable	500
Ch. f. by *Aethelstan II—Five Oaks , by *Stefan the Great; Neil McCarthy	250
Br. c. by *Kantar—Anne Arundel , by *Sir Greytel; Mrs. D. W. LeRoy	275
Ch. c. by *Aethelstan II—White Glade , by White Eagle; K. C. Phipps	900
B. f. by *Kantar—Monel , by *Sir Greytel; K. D. Koeseth	225
B. c. by *Aethelstan II—Brush Along , by Sweep	Out
Br. f. by Blue Larkspur—Florestine , by Beppo; A. B. Gordon	2,500
B. c. by *Aethelstan II—Three Cheers , by Crusader; Cromwell Bloodstock Agency	550
B. c. by *Kantar—Emergency Aid , by Man o'War; W. J. Sproule	250
Ch. f. by *Aethelstan II—Everfair , by Fair Play; Neil McCarthy	700
Blue ro. f. by *Kantar—Treadhaven , by *Sir Greytel; G. J. McCurry	550
Br. c. by *Aethelstan II—Belittin , by Black Toney; H. L. Strauss	1,050
Br. f. by *Kantar—Dunya , by *Durbur II; B. F. Meehling	200
TOTAL.....	\$ 8,100
AVERAGE.....	\$ 623

Property of Creekview Farm (Tollie Young)	
B. c. by Gallant Sir—Chaucer Girl , by Hollister; A. L. Aste	\$ 1,200
B. c. by Boatswain—Pomphyl , by Pompey; W. M. Jeffords	600
B. c. by Gallant Sir—Campsie , by Campfire; W. Wallace	325
B. c. by Good Advice—Light Charge , by *Light Brigade; Mrs. B. K. Douglas	1,000
Blk. c. by Hi-Jack—Imperial Blondy , by Blondin; Matt Brady	850
B. c. by Burgoo King—Danceaway , by Whiskaway; A. G. Tumin	500
Ch. c. by Brilliant—Be Good , by Cunard; K. A. Veit	550
It. b. c. by Agarrian—Hinda , by Stimulus; W. Wallace	850
Ch. c. by Brilliant—Georgia W. , by Paul Weidel; A. G. Robertson	1,400
Ch. f. by Flying Heels—Indian Summer , by Politian; Mrs. A. Pelletier	1,000
Br. f. by Saxon—No Regrets , by Eternal; Milky Way Farm	1,500
Ch. f. Gallant Sir—Marette , by Sir Martin; A. L. Aste	500
B. f. by Saxon—Bessador , by *Ambassador IV; Sid V. J. Smith	300
Br. c. by Gallant Sir—Still Dark , by Stimulus; A. L. Aste	1,100
TOTAL.....	\$ 11,375
AVERAGE.....	\$ 812

Property of L. F. Holton	
Ch. c. by Jack High—Sweet Mary , by Dick Welles; Milky Way Farm	\$ 5,800
Property of L. F. Holton & M. I. Schwartz	
Ch. c. by Bold Venture—Mary On , by Sweep On; Brandywine Stable	\$ 2,200
Property of Sandy Holton and Morton L. Schwartz	
Br. c. by Bold Venture—Full Tide , by	

Sweep; C. B. Blackburn.....	\$ 1,000
Property of J. O. Keene	
Ch. c. by Jean Valjean—Ned's Affinity , by Neddie; Earl Sande	\$ 900
B. f. by Halcyon—Princess Pan , by Pagan Pan	Out
B. c. by Jean Valjean—Betty Smith , by George Smith; Jack Howard	2,500
B. c. by Jean Valjean—Tessie , by Troutbeck; W. J. Sproule	600
Br. f. by Jean Valjean—Pani Roma , by Pagan Pan; C. Blackburn	500
B. c. by Nassak—Absurdity , by Pagan Pan	500
B. c. by Islam—Shades of Night , by *Luke McLuke; Jack Howard	3,800
TOTAL.....	\$ 8,300
AVERAGE.....	\$ 1,660

Property of S. D. Riddle & Dr. E. R. Plunkett	
Ch. c. by American Flag—Bright Red , by *Bright Knight; A. H. Gordon	\$ 700
Ch. c. by American Flag—Winkin , by Ballot	Out
Ch. c. by American Flag—Teaspoon , by Tea Caddy; G. J. McCurry	150
TOTAL.....	\$ 850
AVERAGE.....	\$ 425

Property of Dr. E. R. Plunkett	
B. c. by Boatswain—Waukenah , by Pennant; Cromwell Bloodstock Agency	\$ 325
B. c. by Boatswain—Drift Away , by Star of Gold; Cromwell Bloodstock Agency	50
TOTAL.....	\$ 375
AVERAGE.....	\$ 187

Property of Charles W. Black	
Ch. f. by Jack High—Falcon , by *Light Brigade; K. Ramsay	\$ 850
Ch. f. by Jamestown—Carrie B. , by Short Grass; Anderson Fowler	300
Br. f. by Jamestown—Rolanda , by Wise Counsellor; Sidney J. Smith	350
B. f. by Good Advice—Jaganath , by Jugernaut; Anderson Fowler	325
TOTAL.....	\$ 1,825
AVERAGE.....	\$ 456

Property of C. W. Black & N. P. Little	
Br. c. by Jack—Flora McFlimsey , by Ballot; Anderson Fowler	\$ 800
Property of C. W. Black & C. W. Martin	
B. f. by Good Advice—Elusive , by The Manager; Mrs. R. Smallwood	250

Wednesday Night, August 7	
Property of Belair Stud	
B. f. by *Sir Gallahad III—Cozy Time , by High Time; P. M. Burch	\$ 4,000
B. f. by *Sir Gallahad III—Periwinkle II , by Clarissimus; Walter Chrysler, Jr.	6,100
Dk. b. f. by Gallant Fox—Ondulation , by Sweeper; Carleton Burke	2,000
B. f. by Gallant Fox—La Palina , by *Ambassador IV; Carleton Burke	1,200
Dk. b. c. by *Sir Gallahad III—Silver Lane , by Jim Gaffney; Millsdale Stable	4,000
B. f. by *Alcazar—Bobbles , by *Sir Gallahad III; A. G. Robertson	900
B. f. by Gallant Fox—Viceess , by Flying Ebony; Carleton Burke	700
Ch. c. by Gallant Fox—Bosnia , by Bosworth; A. B. Gordon	3,000
Gr. ro. c. by Gallant Fox—Tetina II , by Tetarena; P. A. Widener	1,200
B. f. by Gallant Fox—Marianne , by Prince Palatine; Neil McCarthy	500
B. f. by *Jacopo—Lady Diver , by *Sir Gallahad III; P. M. Burch	1,150
Ch. c. by *Alcazar—Marigal , by *Sir Gallahad III; Montpelier Stud	900
Ch. f. by *Alcazar—Valse , by *Sir Gallahad III; P. M. Burch	1,150
Br. f. by *Alcazar—Ripples , by *Sir Gallahad III; Neil McCarthy	500
Dk. b. c. by *Alcazar—Lucky Pledge , by *Sir Gallahad III; H. L. Strauss	1,000
TOTAL.....	\$ 28,300
AVERAGE.....	\$ 1,886

Property of Lucas B. Combs	
Br. f. by Broadside—Adequate , by Pennant; J. Higgins	\$ 250
Br. c. by Broadside—Bignonia , by Jim Gaffney; J. S. Klein	1,600
Blk. f. by Broadside—Burgie , by Pennant; A. G. Robertson	600
B. f. by Broadside—Easy Girl , by Blondin; Max Panzer	250
B. c. by Agarrian—Keepsake , by Delhi; K. Ramsay	1,000
B. f. by *Pharamond II—La Morlaye , by Peter Pan; G. Ring	850
B. c. by Broadside—Last Light , by Ultimus; M. E. Dulaney	300
Ch. c. by Jamestown—Lotus , by John P. Grier; J. B. Partridge	3,000
Br. c. by Broadside—Meetme , by Tracery; McKay & Sullivan	1,000
B. c. by Broadside—Mira Mia , by Pennant; A. G. Robertson	850
Ch. c. by Jack High—Refine , by Ormondale	Out
TOTAL.....	\$ 9,700
AVERAGE.....	\$ 970

Property of Leslie Combs II	
Br. c. by Chance Play—After All , by Dis Done; L. P. Harland	\$ 1,150
B. c. by Diavolo—Brown Princess , by *Brown Prince II; Elmer Sachs	750
B. c. by *Cohort—Cartela , by *Chicle; Brandywine Stable	4,500
B. c. by Bostonian—Chic Maud , by *Chicle; Christiana Stable	1,500
Ch. c. by Peace Chance—Seccession , by Peter Pan; Kendall McDowell	400
B. f. by Jack High—Song Bird , by Thrush; K. Ramsay	700
B. f. by *Sickle—Sweeping Glance , by Sweep; Millsdale Stable	1,600
B. c. by Chance Play—The Beasel , by Sunspot; J. B. Partridge	1,000
TOTAL.....	\$ 36,500
AVERAGE.....	\$ 2,433

Property of Hon. Leslie Combs, Trustee	
Ch. c. by Jamestown—Demirep , by John P. Grier; W. Wallace	\$ 850
B. c. by Broadside—North Wind , by *North Star III; J. T. Taylor	450
Blk. c. by Broadside—Shallmar , by Peter Pan; E. K. Kearney	400
TOTAL.....	\$ 1,700
AVERAGE.....	\$ 566

Property of Hon. Leslie Combs, Agent	
B. c. by *Pharamond II—La Chica , by Sweep; W. E. Boeling	\$15,000

Property of H. B. Scott	
Ch. c. by *Royal Minstrel—Under the Guns , by Man o'War	Out
B. c. by *Blenheim II—Gas Bag , by Man o'War; D. Midkiff	\$ 3,500
B. f. by *Royal Minstrel—War Lassie , by Man o'War; Tollie Young	1,250
B. f. by *Pharamond II—Fairy Day , by Man o'War; A. B. Gordon	4,300
Ch. f. by *Royal Minstrel—Flighty Girl , by Crusader; B. F. Whitaker	1,400
TOTAL.....	\$10,450
AVERAGE.....	\$ 2,090

Property of H. B. Scott and Est. of C. T. Grayson	
Ch. f. by Bold Venture—Ding Dong , by *Polymelian; Schwartz	\$ 825
Property of S. D. Riddle and W. G. and T. B. Sudduth	
Ch. c. by American Flag—Gaffney Queen , by Jim Gaffney; S. D. Riddle	\$ 200
Property of W. Lee Nutter and H. P. Headley	
Br. c. by *Pharamond II—Winged Bee , by Infante; Christiana Stable	\$ 7,000
B. f. by Hollywood—Perseverance , by Mont d'Or II; Max Panzer	750
TOTAL.....	\$ 7,750
AVERAGE.....	\$ 3,875

Property of W. Lee Nutter	
Dk. br. c. by Roman Soldier—Curiosity Shop , by Fair Play; Circle M. Ranch	\$ 1,300
Ch. f. by Head Play—Note o'Love , by Ormondale; James Cox Brady	1,000
TOTAL.....	\$ 2,300
AVERAGE.....	\$ 1,150

Property of W. Lee Nutter and Mrs. Dodge Sloane	
Ch. c. by High Quest—Emily Berz , by Ballot; A. G. Tumin	\$ 350
B. f. by High Quest—Cloverplay , by My Play; W. J. Sproule	550
TOTAL.....	\$ 900
AVERAGE.....	\$ 450

Thursday Night, August 8	
Property of W. S. Threlkeld	
B. f. by Hadagal—Absolution , by John P. Grier; Walter Burrows	\$ 350
B. f. by Ariel—Clarissa Anne , by Sir Martin; Alex Gordon	2,100
B. c. by Stimulus—Colas , by Cohort; M. McAvoy	500
Br. c. by Wise Counsellor—Kitty Williams , by Granite	Out
B. f. by *Jacopo—Lady Argos , by The Tartar; J. B. Partridge	900
B. f. by Jamestown—Merry Dance , by Morvich; C. H. Lauck	800
B. c. by Flying Heels—Persian Lady , by *Omar Khayyam; S. S. Janney, Jr.	1,800
TOTAL.....	\$ 6,450
AVERAGE.....	\$ 1,075

Property of Nyrdie Stud	
Ch. c. by Omaha—Amble , by Troutbeck; A. Fowler	\$ 800
B. f. by *Jacopo—Broad Ripple , by Stimulus; Neil McCarthy	650
Ch. c. by Pompey—Durzes , by *Durbur II; Colin MacLeod	175
Ch. f. by Diavolo—Gallant Lady , by *Sir Gallahad III; Brandywine Stable	700
Dk. b. f. by Tintagel—Highland Dell , by Craig an Eran; J. B. Partridge	700
B. f. by Tintagel—Juletime , by High Time; J. B. Partridge	600
Ch. c. by Stimulus—Melodiana , by Gallant Fox; Stroube & Collins	550
Ch. c. by Gallant Fox—Morning , by American Flag; King Ranch	850
Ch. f. by Omaha—My Risk , by Campfire; James Cox Brady	1,100
B. c. by Pompey—Parco , by *Omar Khayyam; J. H. Louchheim	900
Dk. b. f. by Pompey—Pegey Byrne , by Stimulus; Stanley Ross and J. W. Galbreath	650
Ch. c. by Tintagel—Tenting , by *Omar Khayyam; A. Fowler	450
TOTAL.....	\$ 8,125
AVERAGE.....	\$ 677

Property of Charlton Clay	
Dk. b. c. by Islam—American Molly , by American Flag; Jack Howard	\$ 1,000
Br. c. by *Sir Gallahad III—Arenia , by St. James; Manhasset Stable	6,800
Ch. f. by Mate—Athora Naylor , by *Luke McLuke; F. Waring	300
B. c. by Wise Counsellor—Carreen , by *Sun Briar; G. S. Shier	1,250
B. f. by Hard Tack—Degree , by *Wrack; Greentree Stable	1,700
Ch. c. by Stimulus—Extol , by *Sir Gallahad III; Millsdale Stable	2,100
Dk. b. c. by *Jacopo—Frith , by *Wrack; Cromwell Bloodstock Agency	600
Ch. c. by Wise Counsellor—Love Lyric , by John P. Grier; H. Whitney	4,000
Dk. ch. c. by Hard Tack—Oxlip , by Pompey; F. J. Heller	800
B. c. by *Alcazar—Teach Me , by Pennant; Dan Morris	600
TOTAL.....	\$19,150
AVERAGE.....	\$ 1,915

Property of Warner L. Jones, Jr.	
Ch. c. by Hard Tack—Arch Queen , by Archale; Millsdale Stable	\$ 2,400
Br. c. by Chance Sun—Better Judgment , by *Nassovian; Manhasset Stable	3,600
Dk. b. c. by *Pharamond II—Helen Drake , by Ultimatum; Milky Way Farm	11,600
Br. c. by Whichone—Panette , by Peter Pan; Cromwell Bloodstock Agency	2,000
Ch. c. by Chance Play—Sun Bijur , by *Sun Briar; Alex Gordon	3,600
TOTAL.....	\$23,200
AVERAGE.....	\$ 4,640

Property of Morven Stud	
B. c. by Omaha—Blind Lane , by Blind Play; Mill River Stable	\$ 1,600
B. f. by Pompey—Blue Eagle , by Campfire; J. H. Whitney	400
Dk. ch. f. by Pompey—Bonne Etoile , by *Wrack; Stroube & Collins	900
Ch. f. by Tintagel—Brown Rose , by *Brown Prince II; A. G. Robertson	350
B. f. by Pompey—Eagleton , by Chatterton; Mrs. M. R. Waugh	200
Roan c. by *Gino—Fair Stella , by *Wrack; Mill River Stable	1,000
B. f. by Pompey—Flickaway , by Campfire; Mrs. M. R. Waugh	150
Ch. c. by Pompey—Fom , by Jim Gaffney; Cleaveland Putnam	1,200
Ch. c. by Diavolo—Galarose , by Gallant Fox; Nick Agnello	450
B. f. by Pompey—Margie C. , by Fair Play; Rhoda Christmas	400
Ch. f. by Pompey—Marshmallow , by Campfire; A. G. Robertson	800
Ch. f. by Stimulus—Plucky Polly , by *Sir	

OSSABAW CAPTURES STAKE

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don Chase, ridden by Jockey Passmore, who piloted him to his Jervis Spencer triumph, was allowed to trail from the beginning. Ossabaw was not setting the burning pace he had laid out in his last appearance which resulted in eventual defeat at the heels of ***Annibal** in Belmont's War Relief Match Race last June, but was rather saving his burst for the final drive while keeping a steady, determined pace. A bad landing at the 5th was Ossabaw's one mistake, from which he recovered quickly, but as he headed into the following 6th, leaving the backfield for the first time, ***L'Odeon** made his first challenge and came on even terms for several strides. The latter was taken back, however, and did not make another move until approaching the same spot on the final turn where he met with a similar rebuff and Ossabaw seemed to have little difficulty in holding him safe from then on. Ossabaw's margin of victory was easily more than two lengths over ***L'Odeon**, while **Whaddon Chase**, who had been roused in the last half mile, despite having suffered torn ligaments in his quarters, apparently from twisting over a fence. Was barely able to finish for the 3rd award. Finish he did, however, though it was necessary to remove him from the course in the horse ambulance and later the son of ***Monk's Way—Witchery** was found to be so seriously injured that he was destroyed.

SUMMARIES

Thursday, August 8

The McKitredge, 4 & up, allow., about 2 mi., purse, \$1,500; winner: Mrs. E. duPont Weir's b. g. (5), by Foxlaw—Jenny Deans, by Buchan; trained by J. E. Ryan.

1. Peanslaw, 152, J. Magee.
2. Bay Dean, 156, C. Brooks.
3. Invader, 135, J. McGovern.
Five started; also ran: He Goes, 142, B. Anteat; lost rider: Hants, 136, W. Passmore; time: 4:15 2-5; 15 jumps.

Friday, August 9

The Sir Wooster, 4 & up, cl., about 2 mi., purse \$1,200; winner: Montpelier's ch. g. (6) by Dress Parade—Chatter Anne, by Chatterton; trained by John Ryan.

1. Hop, 147, Mr. W. G. Jones.
2. Silverchick, 153, T. Roby.
3. The Immortal II, 155, G. Walker.
Six started; also ran: York Miller, 153, F. McKenna; Golden Reel, 142, W. Leonard;

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Editorials

SPORTSMEN IN MOVING PICTURES

One of the most constructive pieces of good sportsmanship in some time is the work done by Maryland and Virginia foxhunters and horsemen to aid the moving picture industry in portraying to the American people a picture of foxhunting and amateur racing. The moving picture Maryland, released early in the summer, was completed only after the careful cooperation of a number of sportsmen in Maryland's Green Spring and Worthington Valley countries who were willing to give their time and their advice. Without this advice, a moving picture on the classic of amateur sport, the Maryland Hunt Cup, might have been so badly done that it would have not only disgusted all those who understood and loved the sport of timber racing, but by its very inability to portray the innate quality of greatness behind the Maryland Hunt Cup, much harm might have been done, for most of the moving picture industry's attempts to portray horsemanship have been travesties on a great sport. Now a worthwhile piece of entertainment has been provided for the most fastidious of American sportsmen and a real record of American sporting life has been given the American people.

All summer in Virginia a similar undertaking has been going on near Charlottesville with some of the very finest horsemen and women devoting a great many long hot days to the task of seeing to it that the moving picture industry did not murder the sport of foxhunting, but brought it before the people of America in a light which would demand respect, admiration and sympathy. The loyal sportsmen who are working this picture out feel that there are a good many more important things to do than making moving picture stars out of themselves, but both the Maryland and Virginia sportsmen have seen the importance of giving up a great deal of their own personal time and even providing their own horses and their own places and their own hounds and hunt if it will result in the proper emphasis being laid on the sport with horse and hound in this country. Their work is commendable to the highest degree.

There is probably no greater difficulty to the successful conduct of any enterprise which depends upon public support than securing proper public understanding of the fundamental concepts behind that enterprise. There is an old saying that "Familiarity breeds contempt", but this can never be said for the American public's lack of appreciation and sympathy with foxhunting. Where in England the story of the foxhunt has come down through generations in song and story, in America the people know nothing with the result that, this ignorance, as expressed in the words of Robert Hall, "Gives a sort of eternity to prejudice, and perpetuity to error".

There is no question that the American public have been very slow to give their cooperation to foxhunting or to show any sympathy or enthusiasm for the sport. But why should they, when the percentage of those who have even seen a foxhunt is practically nil and that at best has consisted of perhaps hearing hounds from a distance, seeing a few riders gallop over a hill, or watching from a distance while stylishly dressed men and women step from cars to waiting horses? Foxhunting is a great mystery to the American public. Honestly done, moving pictures of the sport which is one of the most picturesque and colorful of any American sport, can do more to promote a feeling for foxhunting in the hearts of the American people than any other single factor. It is not easy for men and women with homes, families and businesses to attend to, give time to becoming moving picture actors for a brief time and to many the resultant publicity is, if

anything, distinctly distasteful. The two pictures have been and are being done through the good services of these amateurs who are truly acting for the good of sport, and horsemen the country over can thank the people of Maryland and those members of the Farmington Hunt in Virginia for the time they have taken to see that sport is portrayed in a way that will bring no reflection but will throw some light on a side of the American sporting life which needs to be better understood by more Americans before it can hope for better cooperation.

Letters to the Editor

Defense Rests

August 12, 1940

The Chronicle,
Middleburg, Va.

Dear Sir:

You have been so maligned for printing the story about the "Famous Fairfield Flimsy" that I, who gave you this erroneous information, feel that I should take the rap instead of you. I feel this especially as I have written you so many times correcting misstatements and misprints that you must have thought me infallible.

I saw the two falls which did occur at that fence and the story of Miss Klipstein was told me by someone whom I thought reliable. He wasn't—and the result is this terrible controversy.

I feel doubly badly because the people at Fairfield have always been so kind to me and because their show is certainly one of the most attractive that I have ever attended, and the fact that they can get so indignant about an incident like this shows how deep their interest in running a good show is.

I therefore apologize to them and to you, but still, in a much meeker tone, add that if they made that Aiken fence more solid-looking there would be less falls and therefore fewer letters to the Chronicle.

Cordially yours,

Frederick M. Warburg
P. S. Just to show I am still looking for mistakes, the dam of Battle Day is by Black Jester, not Sparkling Wit! The defense rests.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Sorry, but the American Stud Book lists Battle Day's dam Sparkling Day as being by Sparkling Wit, out of Daytoria, by *Peep o'Day. She was bred by Reid Riley, former owner of Montana Hall Stud, at White Post, Va. Sparkling Wit himself, however, was by Black Jester, was bred in England and was out of *Starflight, by Sunstar.

Ladies' Hunter Wanted

August 8, 1940

The Chronicle,
Gentlemen:

I would like to know if you could find out if anyone within a radius of 200 miles of Philadelphia has a hunter (suitable for a lady) to dispose of and would rather see the horse get a good and permanent home than sell him for little or nothing. I would be glad to have such a hunter on this basis.

This may sound very silly, but I am very sentimental about my horses, have two now who do me no good at all, but I can't be sensible and dispose of them one way or another. So as long as I must continue boarding these, I feel I can't afford to invest in another horse, much less the sort I'd really like to buy.

I can assure anyone that I'd give a good and lasting home to a good Ladies' Hunter.

Very sincerely,

"M"

c-o The Chronicle, Middleburg, Va.

Hair Raising?

August 11, 1940.

The Chronicle,
Gentlemen:

In the Aug. 9th issue, Courtland Smith writes how he considers Robert S. Waters' *Royalty II* "one of the best Heavyweights ever produced in the Old Dominion". If this is Mr. Smith's honest opinion then he is certainly shifting from the type of horse that used to fill his eyes. O Tempora! O Mores!

The writer saw *Royalty II* at Upperville, his corinthian performance, read your article, which prompted Russell C. Love's letter of reproach and takes this opportunity of endorsing The Chronicle's point of view regarding *Royalty's* brilliance.

My choice for an Old Dominion Heavyweight is Frederick M. Warburg's *Battle Day*. Put me on *Battle Day* (incidentally he's bred in Fauquier County as well) and Mr. Smith on *Royalty* and the Mayor of Middleburg (Mr. Smith) would never see which way we went.

The shifting sands of years seemed to have changed this renowned horseman's opinion, but this sort of argument is wasted time, like telling a hair-raising story to a bald-headed man.

Sincerely, and in good faith,

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THE CHRONICLE'S SPORTING CALENDAR

Racing Calendar

AUGUST

1-17. Thistle Down Park, Thistle Down Jockey Club, Cleveland, Ohio. (From July 2).

1-31. Saratoga. Saratoga Ass'n., for the Improvement of the Breed of Horses, Saratoga Springs, N. Y. (From July 29).

Champlain Handicap, 1 1/4 mi., 3 & up, Fri., Aug. 16 \$2,000 Added

North American Steeplechase Handicap, about 2 mi., 3 & up, Sat., Aug. 17 \$2,500 Added

Spinaway Stakes, 6 f., 2-yr. old fillies, Sat., Aug. 17 \$1,500 Added

Travers Stakes, 1 1/4 mi., 3-yr. olds, Sat., Aug. 17 \$3,000 Added

Adirondack Handicap, 6 f., 2-yr. old fillies, Wed., Aug. 21 \$1,500 Added

Catskill Handicap, 6 f., 3 & up, Fri., Aug. 23 \$2,000 Added

Beverly Steeplechase Handicap, about 2 mi., 3 & up, Sat., Aug. 24 \$2,500 Added

Grand Union Hotel Stakes, 6 f., 2-yr. olds, Sat., Aug. 24 \$1,500 Added

Merchants' and Citizens' Handicap, 1 3-16 mi., 3 & up, Sat., Aug. 24 \$1,500 Added

Albany Handicap, 6 f., 2-yr. olds, Tues., Aug. 27 \$2,000 Added

Whitney Stakes, 1 1/4 mi., 3 & up, Tuesday, Aug. 27 \$3,000 Added

Biana Handicap, 1 1/2 mi., 3 & up, fillies and mares, Wed., Aug. 28 \$2,000 Added

Huron Handicap, 1 3-16 mi., 3-yr. olds, Fri., Aug. 20 \$2,500 Added

Saratoga Steeplechase Handicap, about 2 1/2 mi., 4 & up, Sat., Aug. 31 \$3,500 Added

Hopeful Stakes, 6 1/2 f., 2-yr. olds, Sat., Aug. 31 \$5,000 Added

Saratoga Cup, 1 1/4 mi., 3 & up, Sat., Aug. 31 \$5,000 Added

1-Sept. 2. Washington Park, Washington Park Jockey Club, Homewood, Ill. (From July 29)

Beverly Hills Handicap, 1 mi. 70 yds., fillies and mares, 3 & up, Sat., Aug. 17 \$5,000 Added

Fourth Marathon Handicap, 3 3/4 mi., 3 & up, Wed., Aug. 21 \$2,000 Added

Washington Park Futurity, 6 f., 2-yr. olds, Sat., Aug. 24 \$20,000 Added

Marathon Championship, 4 mi., 3 & up, Wed., Aug. 28 \$4,500 Added

Prairie State Stakes, 6 f., 2-yr. olds, Sat., Aug. 31 \$5,000 Added

Washington Park Handicap, 1 1/4 mi., 3 & up, Mon., Sept. 2 \$25,000 Added

1-24. Rockingham Park, New Hampshire Breeders and Racing Ass'n., Salem, N. H. (From July 20).

The Raceland Handicap, 6 f., 3 & up, Sat., Aug. 17 \$4,000 Added

The New England States Handicap, 1 1-16 mi., 3-yr. olds, Wed., Aug. 21 \$2,500 Added

The Rockingham Park Handicap, 1 1/4 mi., 3 & up, Sat., Aug. 24 \$5,000 Added

2-17. Connaught Park, Connaught Park Jockey Club, Ottawa, Canada.

3-Sept. 2. Dade Park, Dade Park Jockey Club, Inc., Henderson, Ky.

6-Sept. 2. Del Mar, Del Mar Turf Club, Del Mar, Cal.

Motion Picture Handicap, 1 mi., 3-yr.-olds, Fri., Aug. 16 \$2,000 Added

Long Beach Handicap, 1 1-16 mi., 3 & up, Sat., Aug. 17 \$2,500 Added

Del Mar Handicap, 1 1-16 mi., 3 & up, Sat., Aug. 24 \$5,000 Added

Del Mar Hotel Stake, 6 f., 2-yr.-olds, Wed., Aug. 31 \$2,000 Added

La Jolla Handicap, 1 mi., 3-yr.-olds, Wed., Aug. 31 \$2,000 Added

Laber Day Handicap, 1/4 mi., 3 & up, Mon., Sept. 2 \$5,000 Added

6-10 and 13-17, incl. Cumberland Fair Assn., Md.

17-Sept. 2. Stamford Park, Belleville Driving and Athletic Assn., Niagara Falls, Can.

21-31. Marlboro, Southern Maryland Agricultural Fair Ass'n., Marlboro, Md.

24-Sept. 9. Blue Bonnets, Montreal Jockey Club, Montreal, Canada.

24-Sept. 7. Bainbridge Park, Bainbridge Breeders' and Racing Ass'n., Geauga Lake, Ohio.

24-Sept. 14. River Downs, River Downs Racing Ass'n., Cincinnati, Ohio.

26-Oct. 5. Narragansett Park, Narragansett Racing Ass'n., Pawtucket, R. I.

Narragansett Handicap, 6 f., 3 & up, Mon., Aug. 26 \$5,000 Added

New England Oaks, 1 1-16 mi., 3-yr. old fillies, Sat., Aug. 31 \$5,000 Added

Old Colony Stakes, 6 f., 2-yr. olds, Mon., Sept. 2 \$7,500 Added

Sept. Philip Handicap, 1 1-16 mi., 3 & up, Sat., Sept. 7 \$5,000 Added

NEW ENGLAND FUTURITY, 6 f., 2-yr. olds, Sat., Sept. 14 \$25,000 Added

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Governor's Handicap, 1 1/4 mi., 3 & up, Sat., Oct. 5 \$7,500 Added

31-Sept. 21. Beulah Park, Beulah Park Jockey Club, Inc., Columbus, Ohio.

SEPTEMBER

2-21. Aqueduct, Queens County Jockey Club, Aqueduct, L. I., N. Y.

4-Oct. 5. Hawthorne Park, Chicago Business Men's Racing Assn., Hawthorne, Ill.

7-Sept. 14. Thorncliffe Park, Thorncliffe Park Racing Assn., Toronto, Ont., Can.

14-Sept. 28. Havre de Grace, Harford Agricultural and Breeders' Assn., Havre de Grace, Md.

Havre de Grace Handicap, 1 1/4 mi., 3 & up, Eastern Shore Handicap, 6 f., 2-yr. olds, Sat., Sept. 14 \$10,000 Added

Potomac Handicap, 1 1-16 mi., 3-yr. olds, Sat., Sept. 28 \$10,000 Added

21-Sept. 28. Woodbine Park, Ontario Jockey Club, Toronto, Ont., Can.

21-Nov. 2. Empire City, Empire City Racing Ass'n., Yonkers, N. Y.

23-Oct. 5. Belmont Park, Westchester Racing Association, Nassau & Queens's Counties, L. I., N. Y.

Jockey Club Gold Cup, 2 mi., 3 & up, Mon., Sept. 23 \$5,000 Added

Fall Highweight Handicap, 6 f., all ages, Mon., Sept. 23 \$5,000 Added

Matron Stakes, 6 f., 2-yr. old fillies, Tues., Sept. 24 \$5,000 Added

Manhattan Handicap, 1 1/2 mi., 3 & up, Wed., Sept. 25 \$10,000 Added

Jerome Handicap, 1 mi., 3-yr. olds, Fri., Sept. 27 \$7,500 Added

FUTURITY STAKES, 6 1/2 f., 2-yr. olds, Sat., Sept. 28 \$25,000 Added

Lawrence Realization Stakes, 1 5-8 mi., 3-yr. olds, Sat., Sept. 28 \$7,500 Added

Ladies' Handicap, 1 1/2 mi., all ages, fillies & mares, Tues., Oct. 1 \$15,000 Added

Vosburg Stakes, 7 f., 3 & up, Wed., Oct. 2 \$5,000 Added

NEW YORK HANDICAP, 2 1/4 mi., 3-yr. olds, Sat., Oct. 5 \$50,000 Added

Champagne Stakes, 1 mi., 2-yr. olds, Sat., Oct. 5 \$10,000 Added

OCTOBER

2-Oct. 19. Long Branch, Long Branch Jockey Club, Ltd., Toronto, Ont., Can.

7-19. Jamaica, Metropolitan Jockey Club, Jamaica, L. I., N. Y.

2-Oct. 30. Laurel, Maryland State Fair, Inc., Laurel, Md.

7-November 2. Rockingham Park, New Hampshire Breeders and Racing Assn., Salem, N. H.

NOVEMBER

1-Nov. 15. Pimlico, Maryland Jockey Club, Pimlico, Md.

16-Nov. 30. Bowie, Southern Maryland Agricultural Assn., Bowie, Md.

Horse Show Calendar

AUGUST

10-19—Colorado Springs, Colo. Horse & Colt Show.

15-16—Clarke County, Berryville, Va.

15-16—Hennepin County, Minn.

15-18—North Shore, Stony Brook, L. I.

16-17—Harts Run, J. Beach, Allison Park, Pa.

16-18—Lake Placid, N. Y.

17—Towson Chapter B. P. O. E., Timonium, Md.

17-18—Washington County, Minn.

19-20—San Joaquin County Fair Horse Show, Stockton, Cal.

20-21—Eastern Slope Show, North Conway, New Hampshire.

20-23—Erie County Agr. Soc., Inc., Hamburg, N. Y.

22-24—Cohasset, Mass.

22-24—Chestnut Ridge Horse Show, Dunbar, Pa.

22-24—Mount Pocono, Pa.

24—Kewick, Va.

24—Long Green Show and Carnival, Long Green, Md.

24-27—Madison County Fair, Highland, Ill.

25-30—Minnesota State Fair, Minn.

26-27—Orange Horseman's Ass'n., Orange, Va.

26-30—Empire State, Syracuse, N. Y.

27-29—Rhinebeck-Dutchess County, N. Y.

28-29—Rhinebeck, Dutchess County, N. Y.

28-30—Harford County, Bel Air, Md.

30-31—Huntingdon, Pa.

30-31—Orangeburg Fair & Horse Show, Orangeburg, N. Y.

31—Spring Lake, Sea Girt, N. J.

31—Smithtown, St. James, L. I.

31-Sept. 1—Orangeburg, N. Y.

31-Sept. 2—Warrenton, Va.

SEPTEMBER

1—Goshen, Conn.

1—94th Annual Mahoning County Agricultural Soc., Canfield, Ohio.

2—Altoona, Pa.

2—St. Margaret's Church, Annapolis, Md.

2-7—Canadian National Exhibition Assn., Toronto, Canada.

6-7—Fair Hill, Md.

6-7—Genesee Valley, Avon, N. Y.

7—Fairfax, Va.

7—Greensburg, Pa.

7—Greenwich, Conn.

7—Timonium Pony Show, Timonium, Md.

7—Worsted Skeynes Hunter Trials, Minn.

7-8—Columbus, Forest Glen, Md.

8—Dunham Woods, Ill.

8—Helping Hand, Old Westbury, L. I.

8—Rochester Show, Minn.

9-14—Kentucky State Fair Horse Show, Louisville, Ky.

10-13—Brockton, Mass.

11-14—Wissahickon, Whitmarsh, Pa.

13-14—New Brunswick, N. J.

14—Gypsy Trail, Carmel, N. Y.

14—Westmoreland Hunt Horse Show, Greensburg, Pa.

14-15 or 21-22—Town and Country Equestrian Assn., Chicago, Ill.

15—Lawrence Farms Hunt Club.

15—Winona Horse Show, Minn.

16-21—Springfield, Mass.

18—Eighteenth Annual Up Country Hunter and Pony Show, Hawthorn Farms, Berwyn, Penna.

21—Pikesville Kiwanis Horse Show, Pikesville, Md.

21—Plainfield, N. J.

22—Pocantico Hills, N. Tarrytown, N. Y.

25-27—Hagerstown Fair and Horse Show, Md.

25-28—Bryn Mawr, Pa.

26-29—Monterey County Fair Horse Show, Cal.

27-28—Montclair, N. J.

27-29—Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

28—White Hall, Md.

29—Brookville Charity Horse Show, Brookville, L. I., N. Y.

OCTOBER

1-5—St. Louis, Mo.

2-6—Piping Rock, Locust Valley, L. I., N. Y.

4-5—Farmington Hunt Club, Charlottesville, Va.

4-5—Montclair, N. J.

5—Fairfield Farm Horse Show, Wilmington, Del.

5-6—Rock Spring, N. J.

6-12—Ak-Sar-Ben, Omaha, Neb.

10-12—Albany Cavalry, N. Y.

10-13—110th Cavalry, Boston.

12—Marshallton Horse Show, Westchester, Pa.

12—Middleburg Hunter Show, Middleburg, Va.

12-13—Sleepy Holloy Country Club.

17-19—City of Philadelphia Horse Show, Pa.

18—Unionville Horse Show, Penna.

24-27—Inter-American Show, Chevy Chase, Md.

27-28—Utica Cavalry, Utica, N. Y.

28—Byram River, Glenville, Conn.

29-Oct. 5—St. Louis, Mo.

Scarborough, N. Y.

NOVEMBER

6-13—National Horse Show, N. Y.

22-23—Peekskill, N. Y.

30—Boulder Brook, N. Y.

30-Dec. 7—International Livestock Exposition, Chicago, Ill.

DECEMBER

14—Brooklyn, N. Y.

Hunt Meeting Calendar

AUGUST

11-16—El Paso County Hounds Steeplechase and Race Meet, Colo. Springs, Colo.

17—Foxcatcher Hounds, Fair Hill, Md.

21—Whitmarsh Valley Hunt Club, Flourentown, Pan.

28—Meadow Brook Steeplechase Ass'n., Westbury, N. Y.

*Under License of Maryland Racing Commission.

OCTOBER

5—Huntingdon Valley Hunt Club, Jenkintown, Pa.

9 & 12—Rolling Rock Hunt Racing Assn., Ligonier, Pa.

16 & 19—Rose Tree Fox Hunting Club, Media, Pa.

19—Monmouth County Hunt Racing Assn., Red Bank, N. J.

23 & 26—Essex Fox Hounds, Far Hills, N. J.

NOVEMBER

2—Pickering Hunt, Phoenixville, Pa.

2—West Hills Racing Association, Huntington, L. I.

5 & 9—United Hunts Racing Ass'n., Belmont Park, Elmont, N. Y.

9—Middleburg Hunt Race Assn., Middleburg, Va.

16—Montpelier Hunt, Montpelier Station, Va.

Hunter Trial Calendar

SEPTEMBER

21—Rolling Rock Hunter Trials, Ligonier, Pa.

Hound Show Calendar

SEPTEMBER

14—Penn-Marydel Foxhounds, Inc., Kirkwood Kennels, Edgemont, Penna.

18—Virginia Foxhound Club Hound Show, Montpelier.

25, 26, 27—Bryn Mawr Hound Show, Bryn Mawr, Penna.

Grand Circuit Calendar

AUGUST

5-10—Mineola, L. I.

12-17—Goshen, N. Y. (Good Time Park). (Hambletonian Stake Wednesday, Aug. 14th)

19-24—Springfield, Ill.

26-31—Syracuse, N. Y.

SEPTEMBER

9-14—Reading, Pa.

9-14—Louisville, Ky.

16-20—Delaware, Ohio.

21-28—Lexington, Ky.

* Night meetings.

Saratoga Sales Calendar

(Fasig-Tipton Sales Ring, Saratoga, N. Y.)

AUGUST

16—Old Hickory Farm, Ky.

16—Duntreath Farm, Ky.

16—Horatia P. Mason, Ky.

16—Charles A. Asbury, Ky.

16—Est. of R. H. Anderson, Ky.

17—Military Stock Farm, Ky.

19—Mereworth Farm, Ky.

19—E. K. Thomas, Ky.

19—E. D. Axton, Ky.

20—Hon. Westmoreland Davis, Va.

20—A. A. Baldwin, Va.

20—Mrs. Clyde Smith, Ky.

20—Dr. Charles E. Hagyard, Ky.

20—Lewis J. Tutt, Ky.

20—J. L. Cleveland, Ky.

20—Mrs. John A. Payne, N. Y.

20—Henry Altscheler, Ky.

20—R. T. Martin, Ky.

20—B. P. Eubank, Ky.

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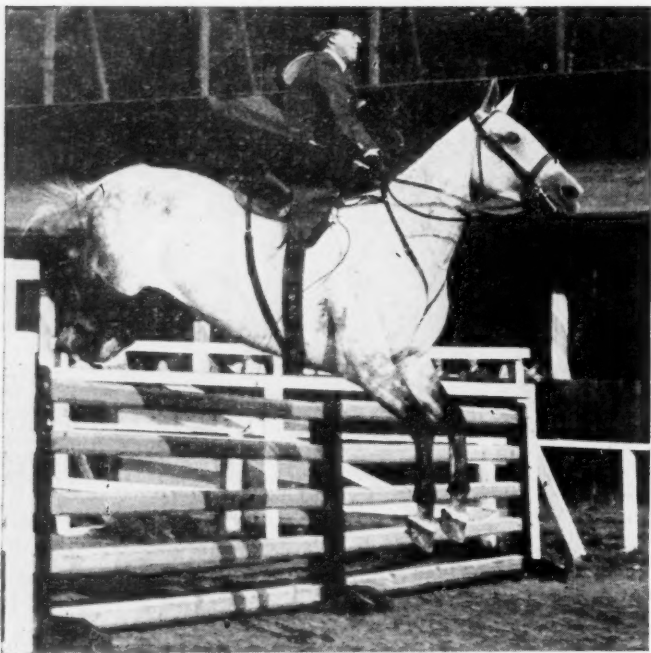
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Bath County Director—Exhibitor—M. F. H.



—“Doug” Hayes Photo.

Mrs. Fay Ingalls, M. F. H. of Bath County Hounds is also a director of the Bath County Horse Show which had its 13th annual exhibition last Thursday and Friday, August 8 and 9, at Hot Springs, Va. Above Mrs. Ingalls is shown riding her big grey gelding JUMPING JACK in the Ladies' Hunter class. This well-mannered son of MAGIC SILENCE who stands nearly 17 hands was also shown to advantage in several open jumper events, being in the ribbons in both days' Touch and Out classes.

Qualified Lady's Hunter-Open Jumper—Big Boy



—“Doug” Hayes Photo.

Mrs. George Greenhalgh's own hunting hunter BIG BOY who carries her safely to Blue Ridge Hounds throughout the season, has high-jumping aspirations as well, and fulfills them. Here he is shown, ridden by Springsbury stable manager, Shirley Payne, in the high jumping class at the 13th Annual Bath County Horse Show, held at Hot Springs, August 8 and 9. In this event BIG BOY won first honors over such reputable performers as Newton Mayo's well known HI HO SILVER, Howard Butz's veteran HOBBO and many others.

SARATOGA SALES

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*Snob II; Millsdale Stable 12,000
Ch. c. by Omaha—Sari, by *Omar Khayyam; J. H. Stotler 5,100

TOTAL \$57,250
AVERAGE \$ 7,406

Property of Charlton Clay and Miss Henrietta Bingham
Ch. f. by *Royal Minstrel—La Contessa, by High Time; Millsdale Stable \$ 700

Property of Warner L. Jones, Jr. and W. S. Threlkeld
Gr. f. by *Royal Minstrel—Lambing, by Solario; Henry Knight \$ 800

Property of A. H. Marekwald, Jr.
Ch. c. by *Royal Minstrel—Vespa, by Bud Lerner; T. B. Martin \$1,050

Friday Night, August 9
Property of Claiborne Stud
Br. f. by *Sir Gallahad III—Alice Harris, by *Ambassador IV; Walter Chrysler, Jr. \$6,000

B. c. by Gallant Fox—Apparition, by Sweeper; Mrs. Doris Warner Leroy 1,500
Ch. f. by Chance Shot—Ciclet, by Whisk Broom II; Millsdale Stable 900

Ch. c. by Hard Tack—Cloudless, by Whisk Broom II; Milky Way Farm 5,000
Ch. c. by Omaha—Crackaloo, by Chance Shot; H. C. Phipps 900

Ch. f. by Reigh Count—Destiny Bay, by Campfire; C. W. Williams 300

*Ch. c. by Donatello II—Double Irish, by Bachelor's Double; G. D. Widener 3,700

B. f. by *Jacopo—Emma Helen, by Cudgel; Millsdale Stable 350

Ch. f. by *Blenheim II—Erne, by White Eagle; W. E. Boeing 3,000

Br. c. by *Sir Gallahad III—Felisa, by Toro; Brandywine Stable 9,000

*Dk. b. c. by Bosworth—Fireship, by Swynford; Millsdale Stable 4,300

B. f. by High Quest—Firewater, by *Omar Khayyam; J. B. Partridge 550

Ch. f. by Stimulus—Gay Agnes, by Jim Gaffney; Ross & Galbreath 500

Dk. b. c. by *Sir Gallahad II—Gay Music, by *Royal Minstrel; A. G. Robertson 4,100

Ch. c. by *Blenheim II—Gotoit, by Mad Hatter; Mrs. E. G. Lewis 12,500

Br. f. by *Jacopo—Grade, by *Sir Gallahad III; Ross & Galbreath 1,500

*Ch. c. by Hyperion—Gwyniad, by Salmon-Trot; Christiana Stable 16,000

Dk. b. f. by Hadagal—Home Star, by Sunstar; J. H. Stotler 800

B. c. by *Sir Gallahad III—Kestrel, by *Wrack; Mrs. E. H. Augustus 5,200

Ch. c. by Reigh Count—Lady Consul, by Campfire; Paragon Stable 1,700

B. f. by Stimulus—Lady Lovely, by *McGee; J. P. Smith 1,000

Ch. c. by Stimulus—Lady Stone, by Jim Gaffney; Maj. Albert Warner 2,000

*B. f. by Caelon—Lay Sister, by Abbots Trace; A. A. Baldwin 3,100

Ch. c. by Stimulus—Light Eagle, by *St. Germans; Walter Chrysler, Jr. 5,200

Dk. b. f. by *Sir Gallahad III—Mad Passion, by Mad Hatter; Walter Chrysler, Jr. 4,100

*B. c. by Winalot—Maid of the Heath, by Lomond; Maj. Albert Warner 1,100

Ch. f. by Hadagal—Margosa, by *Phalaris; G. P. Waymouth 850

10 Breeding Classes At Orange Horse Show

Entries close next Monday, August 19, for the 41st Annual Horse Show, to be held at Orange, Va., on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 27-28. Jack Prestage of Watertown, Conn., Dr. Wm. B. Newcomb of Norfolk, Va., and Richard M. Carver of Darien, Conn., have been asked to judge the hunters, while a special committee will be appointed to score the jumpers.

Some ten breeding classes are listed on the 2-day program, as well as several pony events in addition to the unusually varied list of hunter and jumper classes. There will be a class for Maiden Hunters as well as a Green Hunter Class, a number of events for local working hunters and a Novice or Green Hunter Championship.

Ch. f. by Omaha—Maxima, by Sir Martin; W. E. Boeing 4,200
B. c. by Chance Shot—Mervinia, by *Wrack; W. F. Hitt 3,600
Ch. c. by Omaha—Mirabelle, by Fair Play; H. C. Phipps 4,500
*Ch. c. by Loamingdale—Miss Bula, by *Stefan the Great; Walter Chrysler Jr. 7,600
B. c. by Stimulus—Miss Gravity, by Gallant Fox; Millsdale Stable 5,000
Ch. f. by Reigh Count—My Bonnie, by Gallant Fox; H. L. Strauss 650
Ch. c. by Diavolo—Nancy Clay, by *Wrack; Milky Way Farm 4,500
B. c. by Omaha—Percussion, by *Omar Khayyam; Mrs. Doris Warner Leroy 3,600
Br. f. by *Jacopo—Perjury, by Chatterton; Selby Burch 5,000
Ch. f. by Omaha—Phalaya, by *Phalaris; Ross & Galbreath 1,400
Ch. c. by Gallant Fox—Pomphome; by Pompey; William Ziegler 2,200
B. c. by Hard Tack—Prodigy, by *Light Brigade; William Ziegler 5,700
*B. c. by Raham—Quick Action, by Hurry On; Walter Chrysler, Jr. 8,000
B. c. by Stimulus—Sable Scarf, by *Sir Gallahad III; W. F. Hitt 4,100
*Br. c. by Bosworth—Sea Gem, by Beresford; Mrs. Doris Warner Leroy 9,200
B. c. by Stimulus—Spring II, by *Ksar; Max Hirsch 3,600
Ch. c. by Omaha—Stonechat, by Chatterton; J. H. Whitney 1,500
Ch. f. by Hard Tack—Sundina, by *Sun Briar; Mrs. Cary Jackson 550
Dk. b. c. by *Jacopo—Sunny Fields, by *Sir Gallahad III; J. H. Stotler 2,500
Ch. c. by Omaha—Sun Spot, by *Omar Khayyam; Dan Midkiff 6,500
Gr. c. by *Sir Gallahad III—*Triumph II, by *Stefan the Great; Belair Stud 10,100
B. c. by Stimulus—Tweet-Tweet, by *Sir Gallahad III; Manhasset Stable 4,600
B. c. by *Jacopo—Viva America, by *McGee; C. W. Shaw 800
B. c. by *Sir Gallahad III—War Banner, by Man o' War; Circle M. Ranch 4,600
Dk. gr. f. by *Blenheim II—Winsome Way, by Tetratema; A. Schuttlinger 4,600

TOTAL \$204,550
AVERAGE \$ 3,933

TRADERS POINT DRAGS

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line is laid. Drag hunting is carried on one day a week, also holidays, from October 15 through February 15 and an occasional day is given over to hunting a few foxes known to be in the territory. This season, now that the farmers are more in accord with the thought, meets will be also held on Sundays.

Some \$600 has been spent during the summer on new panels and a "zig-zag" procedure of lines may now be run through country further to the north about William H. Wemmer's farm. Four foot hand gates have also been frequently installed as a help to the many youngsters who follow.

A new type of panelling, a folding frame-work made of heavy plank-ing placed over a chicken-coop, which can be raised and lowered from horseback, has won the heart of the Traders Point farmers. When this panel is "up", it is up to a full 4' 8" height of the American hog-wire fencing. When it is lowered, which can be done with one hand, it is down to 3'-0". The farmers like the invention for it is stock-proof and fool-proof and the foxhunters find its action useful.

CHAGRIN HOUNDS

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grass had been allowed to grow high: "to keep them cool and the flies off them", volunteered Whipper-in Perry.

Due to the increase of hard roads in the area, little roading of Hounds is done. Prior to cubbing activities, Hounds will be run in the woods.

Huntsman Smith has proved a real boon to sport at Chagrin Valley, acting as an ideal diplomatic intermediary with the farmers. As the result of his work and the splendid cooperation of Ralph T. King, Master, who unfortunately cannot give more time, the fine new Fullertown country was opened last year. Considerable panelling has been done in this area.

The entire country is about 20 by 25 miles, fairly open in parts, though interspersed with steep wood ravines, necessitating a very tractable horse. The jumps are mostly panels and coops put in by the Hunt.

The kennel facilities at Gates Mills are excellent, with a fine building housing the cooking rooms and sleeping quarters. Concrete surfaced runs about the kennel building can be easily and frequently washed down. Larger runs enable Hounds to exercise.

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BATH COUNTY

SUMMARIES

Draft Yearlings. 1st, William Pitt's gr. f. Huddy; 2nd, Homestead Farm's bl. f. Cascades; 3rd, Hidden Valley Farm's gr. g. Daisy.

Half-Bred Yearlings. 1st, Meadow Lane Farm's b. g. Sand Bar, by "San Utar—Stygia; 2nd, Jericho Farm's b. g. Pride of Jericho; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. g. Steel Mat, by Boston Mat—Steel-a-March; 4th, Meadow Lane Farm's b. f. Stockinette, by "San Utar—Elegance.

Thoroughbred Hunters. under saddle, 1st, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. g. Balkonian; 2nd, Springsbury Farm's b. g. Highland Ace; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. Sauntering; 4th, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Roma Gino.

Draft Mare with Draft Foal. 1st, C. E. Stephenson's gr. m. Betty; 2nd, William Pitt's b. m. Net; 3rd, A. P. Pulte's b. m. Daisy.

3-Year-Old Bath County Hunters. 1st, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. g. Bay Night; 2nd, Homestead Stables' b. m. Caddis Fly; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. g. Allez Mark; 4th, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. g. Red Water.

Lightweight Hunters. Thoroughbred, 1st, Springsbury Farm's b. g. Highland Ace; 2nd, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. m. Inky; 3rd, G. C. Tukey, Agent's b. g. Court Allez; 4th, Mrs. George Watts Hill's ch. g. Lucky Buck.

Jumping. 4'-0", 1st, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Big Boy; 2nd, Peggy Sampson's gr. g. Hi Ho Silver; 3rd, Howard H. Butz's b. g. Hobo; 4th, Peggy Sampson's gr. g. Black Boy.

3-Year-Olds. under saddle, 1st, Mr. and Mrs. William Haggin Perry's br. g. Zarp; 2nd, Springsbury Farm's gr. g. Roma Gino; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. g. Bay Night; 4th, Springsbury Farm's gr. g. Moorwich.

Lightweight Hunters. Half-Bred, 1st, George G. Lee's b. g. Lee's Birthday; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's br. m. Huntley Glen; 3rd, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Billy Do; 4th, Peggy Sampson's gr. g. Black Boy.

2-Year-Olds. Hunter Type, Half-Bred, 1st, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. g. Fencer, by "San Utar—Belle Mystery; 2nd, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. g. Ramsey's Rebel, by "San Utar—Redwood; 3rd, William Pitt's b. f. Muffin.

Draft Class. 2-year-old, 1st, Homestead Farms' gr. g. Clyde; 2nd, C. E. Stephenson's gr. g. Dan; 3rd, C. E. Stephenson's b. g. Charlie.

Go-As-You-Please Class. 3-year-old Hunters, 1st, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. g. Bay Night, by "Nightwing—Miss Nancy; 2nd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. g. Allez Mark, by Gray Marquee; 3rd, B. L. Traynham's b. f. Willful Tino, by Valentino—Wild Ways; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's b. g. Zarp, by Sir Andrew—Azuca.

Middle and Heavyweight Hunters. thoroughbred, 1st, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. g. Balkonian; 2nd, Howard Y. Haffner's ch. g. "Bobby E.; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. Sauntering.

Draft Class. 3-year-olds, 1st, C. E. Stephenson's bl. m. Nellie; 3rd, Homestead Farm's bl. g. Ned.

Registered Thoroughbred Yearlings. Hunter type, 1st, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. f. by "San Utar—Sun Slave; 2nd, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. g. "San Utar—Crystal Dawn; 3rd, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. g. "San Utar—Mineral; 4th, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. g. "San Utar—Sokola.

Draft Teams. 1st, Hidden Valley Farm's Rock and Prince; 2nd, Homestead Farm's Mabel and Mabel; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' Cat Bird and Mit. Sidney; 4th, Homestead Farm's Bob and Ned.

Middle and Heavyweight Hunters. half-bred, 1st, Edgewood Farm's ch. g. Red Port; 2nd, Mrs. T. Kenneth Ellis' b. g. Clinker; 3rd, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Big Boy; 4th, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. g. Jumping Jack.

Knockdown and Out. 1st, Fred A. Haycox, Jr.'s gr. g. White Way; 2nd, Peggy Sampson's gr. g. Hi Ho Silver; 3rd, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Billy Do; 4th, Peggy Sampson's gr. g. Black Boy.

Ladies' Hunters. 1st, Mrs. George Watts Hill's ch. g. Lucky Buck; 2nd, George G. Lee's b. g. Lee's Birthday; 3rd, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. m. Inky; 4th, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. g. Balkonian.

Green Hunters. 1st, Springsbury Farm's b. g. Highland Ace; 2nd, Springsbury Farm's gr. g. Roma Gino; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. Sauntering; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's b. g. Zarp.

Hunter Test. Special course, 1st, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Big Boy; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's br. m. Huntley Glen; 3rd, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. g. Hong Kong; 4th, George G. Lee's b. g. Lee's Birthday.

Hunter Hacks. children 17 and under, 1st, A. M. Hill's b. g. Court Allez, Kathleen Tukey up; 2nd, George Watts Hill's ch. g. Lucky Buck, George Watts Hill, Jr. up; 3rd, Helen Tukey's sp. m. The Witch, owner up; 4th, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. "In and Out, Francis Tukey up.

Owners' Class. hunters, 1st, Springsbury Farm's b. g. Highland Ace, Mrs. George P. Greenhalgh up; 2nd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. Sauntering; 3rd, Edgewood Farm's b. g. Hablematic, Alexander Rives up; 4th, Mrs. T. Kenneth Ellis' b. g. Clinker.

Hunter Hacks. 1st, Edgewood Farm's b. g. Hablematic; 2nd, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. g. Balkonian; 3rd, Springsbury Farm's b. g. Highland Ace; 4th, Springsbury Farm's gr. g. Moorwich.

Ladies' Side Saddle. 1st, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. g. Balkonian, Sue Fuller up; 2nd, Homestead Stables' br. m. Nancy Ray, Kathleen Tukey up; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. Sauntering, owner up.

Touch and Out. 1st, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Billy Do; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's br. m. Huntley Glen; 3rd, Elizabeth Lloyd's ch. g. Fire Chief; 4th, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. g. Jumping Jack.

2nd Day.

Registered T. B. 2-year-olds, 1st, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. f. Kitterby, by "San Utar—Sun Slave; 2nd, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. f. Fluvanna, by "San Utar—Mineral; 3rd, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. c. Sampyreal, by "San Utar—Fmpyreal; 4th, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. f. Crystal Sands, by "San Utar—Crystal Dawn.

Pairs of Hunters. 1st, Springsbury Farm's gr. g. Roma Gino and gr. g. Moorwich; 2nd, Springsbury Farm's b. g. Highland Ace and b. g. Big Boy; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. Sauntering and b. g. Clinker; 4th, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. g. Hong Kong and ch. g. Red Water.

Registered Thoroughbred Mares. 1st, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. m. "Crystal Dawn, by Dan IV—Crystal Wave; 2nd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' ch. m. Jembs, by "Brumado—Miss Eva; 3rd, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. m. Mudraker, by Ladkin—Ridicule; 4th, Meadow Lane Farm's br. m. Scarlet Wonder, by Wonder Boy—Scarlet Run.

Thoroughbred Mares with Foals. 1st, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. m. Peacoealze, by Coq Gau-

lois—Sea Ogress, with Larkin colt; 2nd, Jericho Farm's ch. m. Wave, by Crimper—Ligure; 3rd, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. m. Mudraker, by Ladkin—Ridicule II, with Missip filly; 4th, Homestead Stables' b. m. Golden Ann, by Polydor—Bethany, with Boston Mat colt.

Paired Saddle Class. hunters, 1st, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. m. Inky and bl. g. Balkonian; 2nd, Springsbury Farm's gr. g. Moorwich and gr. g. Roma Gino; 3rd, Springsbury Farm's b. g. Highland Ace and Mrs. George Watts Hill's ch. g. Lucky Buck; 4th, Mrs. T. Kenneth Ellis' gr. g. Arrestor and Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. g. Allez Mark.

Touch and Out. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's br. m. Huntley Glen; 2nd, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Big Boy; 3rd, Fred A. Haycox, Jr.'s gr. g. White Way; 4th, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. g. Jumping Jack.

4-year-olds and under. hunters, 1st, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. Sauntering; 2nd, Springsbury Farm's gr. g. Royal Gino; 3rd, Springsbury Farm's b. g. Highland Ace; 4th, Homestead Stables' br. m. Nancy Ray.

Children's Jumping. 1st, Fred A. Haycox, Jr.'s gr. g. White Way, owner up; 2nd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. m. Sunday Morning; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. "In and Out; 4th, G. C. Tukey's gr. g. Rye.

Open Jumping. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's br. m. Huntley Glen; 2nd, Fred A. Haycox, Jr.'s gr. g. White Way; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. g. Jumping Jack; 4th, Peggy Sampson's gr. g. Hi Ho Silver.

Open Hunters. 1st, George G. Lee's b. g. Lee's Birthday; 2nd, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. g. Balkonian; 3rd, Mrs. T. Kenneth Ellis' b. g. Clinker; 4th, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Big Boy.

Thoroughbred Mare and 2 or more of her produce suitable to become, 1st, Meadow Lane Farm's ch. m. Crystal Dawn, by Dan IV—Crystal Wave, with Crystal Eve, ch. m. 3, by Court Day, Crystal Sands, 2, ch. g. by "San Utar; yearling, ch. c. "San Utar and b. f. suckling by "San Utar; 2nd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. m. Peacoealze, by Coq Gaulois—Sea Ogress, with Allezmark, gr. g. 2, by Grey Marquee and br. c. suckling, by Larkin; 3rd, Meadow Lane Farm's b. m. Sokolo, by Craigengower—Rima, with Surtax, ch. g. 4, by Court Day and ch. c. suckling by "San Utar; 4th, Homestead Stables' b. m. Golden Ann, by Polydor—Bethany, with Black Mat, b. c. 2, by Boston Mat and Boston Mat foal.

300 Hunter Stake. 1st, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. g. Balkonian; 2nd, George G. Lee's b. g. Lee's Birthday; 3rd, Howard Y. Haffner's ch. g. "Bobby E.; 4th, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' b. m. Sauntering; 5th, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. m. Inky; 6th, Mrs. George Watts Hill's ch. g. Lucky Buck.

Breeding Championship. Yearling ch. f. by "San Utar—Sun Slave, Reserve: Fencer, ch. g. by "San Utar—Belle Mystery.

Corinthian. 1st, George G. Lee's b. g. Lee's Birthday; 2nd, Howard Y. Haffner's ch. g. "Bobby E.; 3rd, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. m. Inky; 4th, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Big Boy.

Hunt Teams. 1st, Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. m. Inky, D. Twyman, ch. g. Lucky Buck, Sue Fuller and bl. g. Balkonian, D. Kelly; 2nd, Springsbury Farm's b. g. Highland Ace, S. Payne, b. g. Big Boy, Sue Bolling and b. g. Lee's Birthday, A. Calvert; 3rd, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' gr. g. Jumping Jack, owner up; Peggy Sampson's gr. g. Black Boy, Frances Tukey, and gr. g. Hi Ho Silver, Kathleen Tukey; no 4th.

Junior Championship. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's br. m. Huntley Glen; Reserve: Fred A. Haycox, Jr.'s gr. g. White Way.

3-Year-Old Hunter Preliminary. 1st, Springsbury Farm's gr. g. Roma Gino; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's b. g. Zarp; 3rd, B. L. Traynham's Willful Tino; 4th, Mrs. Fay Ingalls' Allez Mark.

3-Year-Old Championship. Springsbury Farm's gr. g. Roma Gino; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haggin Perry's b. g. Zarp.

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Hunter Championship. Mrs. George Watts Hill's bl. g. Balkonian; Reserve: George G. Lee's b. g. Lee's Birthday.

Judges: J. North Fletcher, Warrenton, Va.; O'Malley Knott, New York, N. Y.

CUMBERLAND

SUMMARIES

Wednesday, August 7

3 & up steeplechase. about 2 mi., purse \$500; winner: Thomas T. Mott's ch. m. (6), by Apprehension—Sea Tale, by Sea King; trained by Judy Johnson.

1. Quam, 140, H. Cruz.
2. Star On, 147, O. Helicus.
3. Flying Clown, 145, R. Miller.

Eight started; also ran: Leicestershire, 146, H. Townsley; Playdema, 147, R. Lucas; Doctor's Gift, 142, W. Poland; Brown Haze, 155, L. Lee; ran out: Don't Doubt, 144, T. Willingham, Jr.; time: 3:43 4-5; 18 jumps.

Thursday, August 8

4 & up steeplechase. about 2 mi., cl. purse \$500; winner: R. L. Pearson's ch. g. (10) by Chatterton—Persian Blue, by "Omar Khayyam; trained by J. E. Allison, Jr.

1. Edgemont, 141, E. Mitchell.
2. Judge's Bid, 137, N. Brooks.
3. Gnomie, 136, O. Helicus.

Eight started; also ran: Suspect, 134, R. Miller; Royal Cuning, 135, W. Poland; Tennis, 149, Mr. L. Hancel III; lost rider: Walli, 136 1/2, R. Lucas; Siford, 136, H. Cruz; time: 3:41 3-5; 18 jumps.

Friday, August 9

4 & up steeplechase. about 2 mi., cl. purse \$500; winner: J. Fred Adams, Jr.'s br. g. (7) by J. Fred A.—Mary A., by Fair Gain; trained by owner.

1. Jacamar, 135, W. Poland.
2. Cynth, 140, Mr. M. Howard.
3. Spinach, 141, N. Brooks.

Eight started; also ran: Thorny Rose, 132 1/2, R. Miller; Garrynamona, 138, O. Helicus; War Port, 135 1/2, H. Cruz; ran out: Champfleury, 141, E. Mitchell; lost rider: Star Glee, 136, G. Lambert; time: 3:51 2-5; 18 jumps.

Saturday, August 10

3 & up steeplechase. about 2 mi., purse \$500; winner: R. L. Pearson's ch. g. (10) by Chatterton—Persian Blue, by "Omar Khayyam; trained by J. E. Allison, Jr.

1. Edgemont, 139, E. Mitchell.
2. Quakerstreet, 145, Mr. M. Howard.
3. Tam O'Shanter, 151, N. Brooks.

Eight started; also ran: Quaim, 137, H. Cruz; Walli, 133, R. Miller; Tennis, 131, V. Wisner; lost rider: Rouge Catalan, 146, J. Haley; Rhythmic, 135, W. Poland; time: 3:36 3-5; 18 jumps.

GEE RAY BEE

SUMMARIES

Saddle Ponies. 112 and under, 1st, Sonny Baker's ch. m. Spice; 2nd, H. O. Prior's pb. m. Twinkle; 3rd, Louise Murray's pb. m. Silver.

Saddle Ponies. 13 hands and under, 1st, Anne Chew Green's ch. m. Miss Virginia; 2nd, James Teeter's b. m. Jane Withers; 3rd, H. O. Prior's b. g. Prince.

Saddle Ponies. over 13 and not exceeding 14.2, 1st, Charles C. Freeland's ch. g. Limerick Lace II; 2nd, H. O. Prior's b. g. Chit Chat; 3rd, Anne Chew Green's Miss Lassie.

Lead Rein Ponies. 1st, Louise Murray's pb. m. Silver; 2nd, Sonny Baker's ch. m. Spice; 3rd, H. O. Prior's pb. m. Twinkle.

Ponies Jumping. not exceeding 11.2, 1st, Sonny Baker's ch. m. Spice; 2nd, H. O. Prior's pb. m. Twinkle; 3rd, Louise Murray's pb. m. Silver.

Ponies Jumping. over 11.2 and not exceeding 13, 1st, Anne Chew Green's ch. m. Miss Virginia; 2nd, Ralph S. Reifsnider's pb. m. Petty Girl; 3rd, H. O. Prior's b. g. Prince.

Ponies Jumping. over 13, not exceeding 14.2, 1st, H. O. Prior's b. g. Chit Chat; 2nd, Charles C. Freeland's ch. g. Limerick Lace II; 3rd, Anne Chew Green's Miss Lassie.

Pony Touch And Out. division A, 112 and under, 1st, Louise Murray's pb. m. Silver; 2nd, H. O. Prior's pb. m. Twinkle; 3rd, Sonny Baker's ch. m. Spice; division B, 13 hands and under—1st, Ralph S. Reifsnider's pb. g. Cone-

wago Chief; 2nd, Ralph S. Reifsnider's pb. m. Petty Girl; 3rd, Peggy Pfefferkorn's Dixie; division C, over 13 and not exceeding 14.2—1st, H. O. Prior's b. g. Chit Chat; 2nd, Anne Chew Green's ch. m. Miss Virginia; 3rd, Charles C. Freeland's ch. g. Limerick Lace II.

Pony Championship—Sonny Baker's ch. m. Spice.

Knockdown and Out. Carroll County Horses only, 1st, Harvey Harris' Judy; 2nd, Richard Teeter's Top Rail; 3rd, C. R. Williams' Pet.

Open Jumping. Carroll County Horses only, 1st, Richard Teeter's Top Rail; 2nd, A. J. Stem, Jr.'s Billie; 3rd, W. H. Houck's Dixie King.

Model Hunter. 1st, U. S. Randle's ch. g. Randle's Gee Ray Bee; 2nd, U. S. Randle's Randle's Top Mast; 3rd, U. S. Randle's gr. g. Randle's Nite.

Junior Hunters. 1st, Joseph G. Johnson's Betsy; 2nd, Lee Counselman's Kristi; 3rd, Mrs. Elizabeth Susemihl's Dusky Belle.

Green Hunters. 1st, U. S. Randle's ch. g. Randle's Gee Ray Bee; 2nd, Rose Hill Farm's He'll Try; 3rd, U. S. Randle's gr. g. Randle's Nite.

Ladies' Hunters. 1st, Richard Teeter's Top Rail; 2nd, Mrs. Elizabeth Susemihl's Dusky Belle; 3rd, Arle Perry's Double Solitaire.

Open Hunters. 1st, U. S. Randle's gr. g. Randle's Shadow; 2nd, John T. Sadler's b. m. Toots; 3rd, Mahlon N. Haines' Danger Man.

Hunter Hacks. 1st, U. S. Randle's Top Mast; 2nd, U. S. Randle's ch. g. Randle's Gee Ray Bee; 3rd, D. C. Bradley's Best Time.

Qualified Hunters. 1st, Linkie Smith's Parson; 2nd, Mahlon N. Haines' Danger Man; 3rd, Arle Perry's Double Solitaire.

Open Jumping. 1st, James P. Duffy, 3rd's Ten High; 2nd, Mahlon N. Haines' Danger Man; 3rd, U. S. Randle's gr. g. Randle's Shadow.

Knockdown And Out. 1st, John T. Sadler's b. m. Toots; 2nd, James P. Duffy, 3rd's Ten High; 3rd, Mahlon N. Haines' Danger Man.

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Class 6.—Half-bred Mares, suitable to produce a Hunter (must have foal at foot or certificate of service for 1940 be produced)\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10	\$5
Class 7.—Half-bred Foals, suitable to become hunters\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10	\$5
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ARD PATRICK

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Middle and Heavyweight with his owner up. This Irish-bred gelding was formerly a member of the Henry W. Wendt show string and has done well for his new owner at the Western New York shows this year. He also won the Heavyweight Hack at Avon and, with Thomas H. Clements' Dickie O'Toole, took the Pair class.

Miss Ginther rode **Sylvan Music** to 1st place in the Ladies' class and also placed her as a Model. This lovely mare was raised just a stone's throw from the scene of her winnings. By **Harmonicon**—**Sylvan Lassie**, she was bred by Leo Davin and purchased by Miss Ginther as a 2-year-old. She is a half sister of **Big Spot**, the outstanding Heavyweight chestnut gelding now owned by Mrs. Victor McLaglen of California, and also of **Red Sylvan**, recently purchased by J. Hale Steinman of Pennsylvania.

Maxwell Glover's **No Hurry**, a 3-year-old chestnut gelding of exceptional type by **Hurry Off**—**Prunelle**, won both the Model and the Suitable classes. The Lightweight class went to Henry V. Colt's **Bogey Man**, while **Carrigbawa**, from the same stables, accounted for the Green Class.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cohen's **Kopper King**, a chestnut gelding by **Seaway** who is always to be reckoned with in Open Classes, was the only entry in the Touch-and-Out to complete the course. He was ridden by Frank Snyder, who has in the past year developed him into one of the most consistent performance horses in his home territory. The Open Jumping went to **Judge**, also ridden by Frank Snyder for his daughter Betty. In this class **Kopper King** was 3rd behind James Meizenzahl's good Middleweight **Ard Clu**, while in the Touch-And-Out, **Judge** placed 3rd behind Donald Brown's **Colleen O'Donaghue**. Clarence A. Ward took the Amateur Jumping with a clean performance on **Cape-la**. **Colleen O'Donaghue**, owner up, and Robert Mage's **Harmony**, ridden by Miss Dorothy Lucas, were 2nd and 3rd after a jump-off.

The hunter classes were exhibited over a stiff, long, out-side course with solid jumps, some of which were merely great trees that in the storms of years gone by had fallen and were left to lie high-and-rough on the course marked by flags. One obstacle was like a letter "L" over which the riders jumped, headed north, rode a small circle around a flag and took the other leg of the letter, going west and coming back into the ring.

Most of the horses exhibited were bred in the Genesee Valley and represent the get of **Thunderation**, ***Rosedale II**, **Hurry Off**, **Long Tongue**, **Kalitan**, ***Lough Foyle**, ***Brumado**, **Northcliffe**, **Which Mate**, **War Call**, **Barrington**, **Al McNeil**, ***Allumeur**, and **Harmonicon**, which stallions have been or now are at stud in the historic valley.

Some twenty years ago Avon, in addition to the annual colt show of the Genesee Valley Breeders' Association in the fall boasted an open show. These were dropped around 1924 or 25, but last year a first attempt was made to revive them, and this show, just past is a second and worthy step forward.

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LITCHFIELD SHOW

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Glenara was selected as the Conformation Hunter Champion and **Breda**, a stablemate, the Working Hunter Champion. **Glenara**, winner of many awards last year including the Hun-

ter Championship at West Point, numbered among her Litchfield triumphs the Lightweight Hunters and the Corinthian. In this latter she was placed over Tipperary Stable's well known mare ***Claire's Toy**, star of the Connecticut State Horse Show last year. **Breda** was first in the Middleweight Hunters and the Working Hunters, prior to her triumph over **Glenara** in the Working Hunter Championship Preliminary.

Miss Dorothy Wagstaff, riding her own hunter **Sham**, an aged chestnut gelding, the best of the local horses and a consistent performer throughout the show, was Reserve Conformation Hunter Champion, having previously won the class for Local Riding Horses, taking 2nd in the Hunter Hacks to Miss Audrey Hasler's **Blue Peter** and 3rd in the Corinthian as well. A promising young brown gelding, **Writer Kipling**, owned by Mrs. Empty Stark was pinned the Reserve Working Hunter Champion.

Lt. John W. Morris of Staten Island and West Cornwall, Conn., rode his good jumper **Danfurth** to start off the morning activities by winning the Novice Jumper event and retiring the Eugene H. Outerbridge Challenge Trophy, which has been in competition since 1933. This well-schooled chestnut gelding then went on in the afternoon to win the Knockdown and Out Sweepstakes, which gave him a total of 10 points and the eventual Jumper Championship.

Randolph Tayloe came up to the show from Westport with his good fencer **Blackie Daw**, a converted polo pony who won jumper awards at New York's Porchester Show the previous week, and provided keen competition in all the jumper events. Though **Blackie Daw** failed to win any big classes, he was consistently in the ribbons and, when the final score was made up he had won the Reserve Championship ribbon with 9 points, just one less than **Danfurth**, the Champion.

An interesting innovation of this show was the children's hunter event for the A. H. S. A. junior medal, which has always been a horsemanship competition in other shows, but the conditions in the American Horse Show Association's red book clearly state that "the medal may be offered in any class in any one division, in each show, provided all contestants in the class are individual members of the association who have not reached their nineteenth birthday". Neither the judges, Rufus C. Finch, Alfred B. Maclay, Harvey S. Ladew, Col. D. Douglas Young, or Charles S. Fleischmann, secretary of the American Horse Show Association, could find anything out of order in awarding the medal in the Children's Hunter event, so it doubtless has established a precedent which may be followed by other shows, especially those in a good hunting country like Watertown.

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cost him nine bucks and two bits; Albert M. Soles of Riverton deposited ten dollars and went on his way in lieu of facing the cad at a later date; as did Francis Buckner of Pennsylvania, while Frank Andrews of the Capital City enriched the town by nine dollars and silver for the doubtful joy of speeding down Washington street. Much satisfaction is being expressed at this action of the Fathers and Sgt. and Middleburg hopes to finish this year without a traffic fatality as against two last year.

Many of our towns people have hied them to various beaches up and down the Atlantic coastline and Chesapeake Bay in order to escape the heat and get first-hand communiques on what the wild waves are saying. Among this number are Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Armfield, Miss Mabel Waddell of the Middleburg-Hollywood theatre, M. S. Reed and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. G. Donald Gartrell. A few have chosen mountain resorts and many, very many, are taking their heat as they find it right here, and it's not so hot at that.

Apropos; the war being waged for and against the conscription bill, we are reminded of the early days of the First World War when a like question was raised and a like hubbaloob resulted. William Jennings Bryan, Secretary of State, was an avowed opponent of war and spoke eloquently against war and "any act pursuant thereto". In an especially enthusiastic outburst the great Commoner declared that "In the event of war, a million men would rush to arms". To which a cynic replied, "Yes, women's." And this proved true, as witness the thousands who elected to endure a civil war in preference to joining the A. E. F. in France.

BATH COUNTY AWARD

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and a chestnut Hunt Team. The Hills saw him at Manley Carter's Sale but were not quick enough and had to buy him later from Morris Clark, of Keswick, Virginia.

Of superb conformation, **Balkonian** has plenty of substance, in fact he has everything you want in a hunter to such a degree that he makes up many points with his looks that he might lose in way of going. This is his 2nd Championship to add to his 2 Reserves won this year. He was the tricolor winner at Tidewater, Va., and won Reserves at Washington, D. C., and Deep Run, Richmond, Virginia.

Balkonian was awarded the Championship on his conformation over **Lee's Birthday**, an unregistered son of **Our Birthday-Princess**, whose lovely bay skin runs so smoothly over his fine, well muscled frame that, with his smooth-sailing performances, he is always bidding well for blue ribbons. According to the 1937 Official Horse Show Blue Book he won the Corinthian in 1937 as he did last Friday, though the catalogue carried James N. Andrews's **Kippena** the 1937 winner. Alex Calvert managed Mr. Lee's bay gelding throughout, and he came awfully close to the Championship on points, when he was placed a close 2nd to **Balkonian** in the Hunter Stake after the most priceless performance of the afternoon. Efforts were excellent in the

Stake and Corinthian Class, when some 25 horses went over the 7 jump "in-and-out-side-course" with but one bar being lowered.

Whereas the important feature was the Hunter Championship, the Breeding Championship, won by Meadow Lane Farm, owned by Allan Hirsh, of Warm Springs, Va., for the third straight year was a delightful triumph. So was Mr. and Mrs. George P. Greenhalgh's Springsbury Farm, Berryville, success with her **Roma Gino** entry who took the 3-year-old tricolor, and Mrs. W. Haggin Perry's first Championship on her Open Jumper **Huntley Glen**, acquired but six weeks ago. The spectators fully appreciated the variation from the cut and dried conformation hunter and jumping classes to the thoroughbred mares and foals shown in hand. Up and down the covered grandstand various presumptions were overheard and the judges' decisions were approved and debated in a vital but friendly fashion.

A crowd of some five hundred was sustained throughout the two days, with the capacity throng there on Thursday night, when almost a thousand attended.

Meadow Lane Farm took complete command of the Breeding Division, with the ***San Utar—Sun Slave** yearling filly, the Upperville winner, taking the Championship, and the 2-year-old, out of the same mare, the Bath County Breeding Champion of 1939, **Kittery**, a chestnut filly, winning the major thoroughbred awards for her age. The judges selected the **Dan IV** mare, **Crystal Dawn** as the best thoroughbred mare and then she followed up this blue award with an unusual exhibition of her progeny, when a bay filly suckling foal by ***San Utar**, a yearling colt by ***San Utar**, **Crystal Sands**, a 2-year-old chestnut gelding by ***San Utar** and **Crystal Eve**, 3-year-old mare by **Court Day**, joined her to take the "Thoroughbred mare and Two or More of Her Produce Suitable to Become Hunters" trophy. **Crystal Dawn** is a very attractive chestnut with good hind legs for a **Dan IV** and the beautiful straight legs and splendid tendon definition of ***San Utar** have enhanced the conformation of the progeny by him. **Peacogallex**, a gray veteran broodmare an old fashioned sporting print type, of Mrs. Fay Ingalls', by ***Coq Gaulois** took 2nd in this class and was scored the winner in the Mare and Foal event, when she was shown with a brown **Larkin** colt. In the "Two Or More of Her Produce" class she had **Allezmark**, a grey 3-year-old son of **Grey Marquee** with her. **Allezmark** also accounted for a good 2nd in the "3-Year-Old Go-As-You-Please Class" when stablemate **Bay Night** by ***Nightwing** was the winner. This class enabled riders to show their youngsters anyway they wanted, taking jumps in any sequence they preferred.

The show was significant for the number of young horses in action. The Springsbury **Roma Gino**, 3-year-old, by ***Gino—Sun Roma**, is a very smooth, compact good boned youngster who goes easily and playfully. He combined with another 3-year-old stablemate, **Moorwich**, (both are very much alike with their grey coats,) to win the Pairs of Hunters, and they did this against much older horses. **Roma Gino** won the 3-Year-Old Championship as Mr. and Mrs. Perry's **Zarp**, by **Sir Andrew-Azaca**, a magnificent 16.3 gelding was Reserve.

Mrs. Ingalls' **Sauntering** is another striking young horse, an extraordinary mover, very nearly 16.3 and by **Sortie—Lyddite**. She won the

4-Year-Olds and under, beating **Roma Gino** and Springsbury's **Highland Ace**, a 4-year-old gelding by **Byrd—Lady Delhi** who shows great promise, carrying his owner Mrs. Greenhalgh to win the Owners' Hack, and winning among other awards the Green Hunters over fences, when **Roma Gino**, **Sauntering** and **Zarp** were ribbon earners behind him.

Mrs. Hill retired the Ladies' Hunters' trophy, presented by Mrs. D. H. Holmes and which has been in competition since 1932, with her **Lucky Buck** win, under Miss Sue Fuller's guidance. Quail Roost Stable had previously won with **Lucky Buck** in 1938 and **Inky** in 1939. How closely the Hill horses perform is demonstrated in this Ladies' effort when **Inky** was 3rd and **Balkonian** 4th as **Lee's Birthday** intervened to take 2nd.

The Hunter Test was an interesting class. Every jump utilized was something of a test found in the hunting field, including a 4'-8" snow fence (eased a bit with a slant), Springsbury's good jumper **Big Boy** an aged son of ***Laverne** showed the way as **Huntley Glen**, the Open Champion, was 2nd, and a cracking 4-year-old half-bred type **Hong Kong**, by **Court Day** from the Meadow Lane farm, secured a 3rd.

The Edgewood Farm, of which Alexander Rives is the proprietor have the multi-spelled son of **Haphazard—Emblematic**, an attractive sort, who won the Hunter Hacks at Bath. His name appears variously on programs as **Hablematic**, **Hapblematic** and **Haplematic**.

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EDGEMONT DOUBLES

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from the beginning, until that maiden son of **Philippi** lost his rider within a few fences of home. **Edgemont** then took command, while **Judge's Bid**, who had been moving up steadily from a rear position, offered strong contention over the final fences, but could not reach the winner who held him safe by two lengths or more at the finish. **Gnomie**, who was close up from the start, struck the beacon nearing the 16th fence and tired in the late stages, finishing eight lengths further back for third, while **Suspect**, J. Fred Adams, Jr.'s **Royal Cunning** and Louis Hancel's **Tennis** were far out of the running.

Quakerstreet and M. J. Daly's **Rouge Catalan** were backed the most heavily in Saturday's handicap, with **Tam O'Shanter** third choice. This time Mitchell again sent **Edgemont** after the pacemaker who proved to be **Quakerstreet**, and kept his charge well up within striking distance until ready to make his move. **Tam O'Shanter** followed along steadily in third position and did not appear to be a serious threat at any time. J. Fred Adams, Jr.'s **Rhythmical** lost his rider about midway of the race and then **Rouge Catalan** had the same misfortune several fences later. **Edgemont** seemed to be going in even better form than he showed in his previous outing and, having kept within easy reach of the command all the way, stepped to the front after the 14th fence and drew out gradually thereafter to win by five lengths. Though she was forced to relinquish her hopes for victory, **Quakerstreet** stayed well enough under pressure to hold the place safe from **Tam O'Shanter**, who followed her in some four lengths further back and a good ten before Thomas T. Mott's mare **Qualm**, a winner on August 7.

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Storme Queen Wins Russell Stewart Portchester Award Wins Jumping At For J. D. Silberman Bolton Landing

The Major honors of the Professional Horseman's Association Horse Show, held at Lawridge Stables in Portchester, N. Y., on August 4 were garnered by the 6-year-old brown mare **Storme Queen** from J. D. Silberman's Point-O-View Farms in Scarsdale, N. Y. Ridden throughout this one-day exhibition by Miss Marion Loucks of Larchmont, **Storme Queen** won both the Professional Horseman's Association Challenge Trophy for Working Hunters and the Peter Drever Memorial Challenge Trophy, also for Working Hunters, as well as the Working Hunter Sweepstakes. In all of these events the big, 16.2 hand brown mare performed brilliantly and had there been a championship to climax the show Judges William H. Henderson and Fred Pinch would certainly have considered **Storme Queen** among the first in line for this award.

Miss Peggy Carpenter's popular grey gelding, **Little Flight**, Working Hunter Champion at Fairfield County this summer, turned in his usual and consistent performances to place second to **Storme Queen** in the Professional Horseman's and Working Hunter Stake classes. Frederick Warburg's grand, big thoroughbred heavyweight hunter **Battle Day** richly deserved his awards in the Middle and Heavyweight Hunters and the Conformation Hunter Stake. In the latter **Battle Day's** characteristically smooth performances topped those of Mrs. Bernard F. Gimbel's bay gelding **Aneas** and Tipperary Stable's good mare **Claire's Toy**.

Nydris Stable's well known top horse of a season or two ago **Chelsea Ruscus**, made a successful reappearance in the ring at Portchester, doing creditably for himself with a ribbon in every class in which he was shown. Miss Carpenter rode James A. Thomas, Jr.'s **Claim Agent** to a perfect performance in the Ladies' Class defeating her own **Little Flight**, **Chelsea Ruscus** and others. **Claim Agent** accounted for another blue in the Children's Hunter class, ridden by his young owner, being placed over Martin Vogel's nice mare **Slap Happy**.

SUMMARIES

Morning Events

Limit Jumpers. 1st, Randolph Tayloe's blk. g. Blackie Daw; 2nd, Mrs. Julius Brandenburg's b. g. Free Swing; 3rd, J. H. Mahler's gr. g. Gray Boy; 4th, Wildwood Stable's ch. g. Sandy.

Lightweight Hunters. 1st, Tipperary Stables' ch. m. Claire's Toy; 2nd, Martin Vogel, Jr.'s b. m. Slap Happy; 3rd, Tipperary Stable's blk. g. After All; 4th, James A. Thomas, Jr.'s b. g. Claim Agent.

Working Hunters. Professional Horseman's Ass'n. Challenge Trophy. 1st, Point-O-View Farm's br. m. Storme Queen; 2nd, Miss Peggy Carpenter's gr. g. Little Flight; 3rd, James A. Thomas, Jr.'s b. g. Claim Agent; 4th, C. H. Dimick's ch. g. On Guard.

Road Hacks. 1st, Mrs. Julius Brandenburg's ch. m. Cuddle Cat; 2nd, Boulder Club's ch. g. Oh Glory; 3rd, Morton Govern's br. m. Serene; 4th, David H. Wright's ch. m. David's Gal.

Middle and Heavyweight Hunters. 1st, Frederick M. Warburg's br. g. Battle Day; 2nd, C. H. Dimick's ch. g. On Guard; 3rd, R. A. Van Cleaf's ch. g. Chelsea Ruscus; 4th, Mrs. Bernard F. Gimbel's b. g. Aneas.

Open Jumpers. 1st, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill's ch. g. Thunder Boy; 2nd, Hubert Moseley's b. g. Storm Signal; 3rd, Randolph Tayloe's blk. g. Blackie Daw; 4th, J. B. Mahler's gr. g. Gray Boy.

Hunters Under Saddle. 1st, Morton Govern's br. m. Serene; 2nd, Tipperary Stable's blk. g. After All; 3rd, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill's br. g. Gurzil's Paddy; 4th, Mrs. Julius Brandenburg's ch. m. Cuddle Cat.

Afternoon Events

Children's Hunters. 1st, James A. Thomas, Jr.'s b. g. Claim Agent; 2nd, Martin Vogel, Jr.'s b. m. Slap Happy; 3rd, Mrs. Allen Gwynne's gr. m. Star Dust; 4th, George C. Allen's gr. m. Platina.

Children's Hacks. 1st, Morton Govern's br. m. Serene; 2nd, James A. Thomas, Jr.'s b. g. Claim Agent; 3rd, Wildwood Stable's b. g. Grenadier; 4th, Mrs. Allen Gwynne's gr. m. Star Dust.

Handy Hunters. 1st, Tipperary Stables' ch. m. Claire's Toy; 2nd, Wildwood Stable's ch. g. Sandy; 3rd, Hubert Moseley's b. g. Wellington; 4th, Hubert Moseley's b. g. Storm Signal.

Working Hunters. Peter Drever Memorial

Three days of ideal weather, a representative list of entries and some of the most spectacular jumping classes seen in the vicinity in recent years marked the 7th Annual Sagamore Horse Show, which was held at Bolton Landing on Lake George, N. Y., last Friday, Saturday and Sunday, August 9, 10, and 11. Homer B. Gray, who scored the hunters and jumpers throughout the show, wound up the final day's activities by awarding the Jumper Championship to 13-year-old Russell Stewart and his sensational 15 hand pony **My Play Boy**, who made a similar sweep of the Pittsfield jumper classes the previous week. Reserve to the Jumper Champion was tied between Daniel H. Conway's **Burma** and Mrs. Oscar Ehrhorn's **Socks**, each coming off with an equal score of points. A coin was tossed to decide the question and Mrs. Ehrhorn won the award.

A number of outstanding hunter performances likewise distinguished this 3-day exhibition in the beautiful Adirondack setting on Green Island with honors being fairly evenly divided amongst Miss Eleanor Moffett's well known chestnut mare **Candolette**, and Harold G. Fortune's good chestnut gelding **Garling**. Miss Moffett first showed **Candolette** in Friday's Open Hunter event, from which she emerged with the blue over a number of other reputable performers, including **Garling**, Gerry Gregory's mare **Straight Play** and Mrs. G. W. Johnson's good black gelding **Cheerio**. Harold Fortune, whose Scarborough stable was also represented by **Blue Ridge**, **Gorgeous** and **Roger**, won the H. Aldeen Hall Hunter Stake with **Garling**, this after he had suffered a severe gash on the head and a badly bruised leg in a fall in Friday's Open Hunter class, only to return from the hospital half an hour later with head and leg bandaged.

Candolette was also 1st in the Thoroughbred Hunters, topping such good ones as Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dunn's chestnut gelding **Epindal**, Mrs. P. G. Cole's mare **Tiplin** and Gerry Gregory's **Straight Play**, and again won the blue in Sunday's class for Working Hunters, where-in **Garling** was placed 2nd. Other lesser awards came **Candolette's** way as well as blues, for she was second to **Garling** in both the Ladies' Hunters on Saturday and the Open Hunter Stake on Sunday. Ridden by her Ashville, N. C., owner in all of her showings, **Candolette** was recently

Challenge Trophy. 1st, Point-O-View Farm's br. m. Storme Queen; 2nd, Frederick M. Warburg's br. g. Battle Day; 3rd, C. H. Dimick's ch. g. On Guard; 4th, Miss Peggy Carpenter's gr. g. Little Flight.

Children's Jumpers. 1st, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill's ch. m. Mad Hen; 2nd, Miss Nancy Douglas's ch. m. Kemoha; 3rd, Frank J. Carroll's b. g. Bay Ridge; 4th, Mrs. Allen Gwynne's gr. m. Star Dust.

Ladies' Hunters. 1st, James A. Thomas, Jr.'s b. g. Claim Agent; 2nd, Miss Peggy Carpenter's gr. g. Little Flight; 3rd, R. A. Van Cleaf's ch. g. Chelsea Ruscus; 4th, Tipperary Stables' ch. m. Claire's Toy.

Hunter Sweepstakes. 1st, Frederick M. Warburg's br. g. Battle Day; 2nd, Mrs. Bernard F. Gimbel's b. g. Aneas; 3rd, Tipperary Stables' ch. m. Claire's Toy; 4th, Martin Vogel, Jr.'s b. m. Slap Happy.

Hunter Hacks. 1st, Miss Nancy Douglas's ch. m. Kemoha; 2nd, Tipperary Stable's blk. g. Gurzil's Paddy; 3rd, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill's br. g. Gurzil's Paddy; 4th, Morton Govern's br. m. Serene.

Working Hunter Sweepstakes. 1st, Point-O-View Farm's br. m. Storme Queen; 2nd, Miss Peggy Carpenter's gr. g. Little Flight; 3rd, R. A. Van Cleaf's ch. g. Chelsea Ruscus; 4th, Martin Vogel, Jr.'s b. m. Slap Happy.

Jumper Sweepstakes. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carroll's ch. g. Happy Warrior; 2nd, Hubert Moseley's b. g. Storm Signal; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carroll's b. g. Mickey Rooney; 4th, J. C. Penney's b. g. For Sale.

Judges: Col. William H. Henderson, Eatontown, N. J., Fred Pinch, Montchanin, Del.

Champion of the Lakeville, Conn., Show. This 6-year-old daughter of **Canadian Ensign**—**Mandolette**, bred and raised in Virginia, is also regularly hunted by Miss Moffett with the Tryon Hounds in North Carolina.

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Friday, Aug. 9

Model shown in hand. 1st, Mohican Farm's b. m. Little Bo Peep; 2nd, Lt. and Mrs. Roger Young's ch. m. Lavender Girl; 3rd, Janet Ann Meade's ch. m. Lucida Bourmont.

Novice Jumper. 1st, Sleepy Hollow Country Club's pinto g. Captain; 2nd, Gerry Gregory's ch. m. Straight Play; 3rd, Eleanor Moffett's ch. m. Candolette; 4th, Joseph Vanono, Jr.'s Jack Frost.

Hunters. 1st, Eleanor Moffett's ch. m. Candolette; 2nd, H. G. Fortune's ch. g. Garling; 3rd, Gerry Gregory's ch. m. Straight Play; 4th, Mrs. G. W. Johnson's blk. g. Cheerio.

Knock Down and Out. 1st, Daniel H. Conway's **Burma**; 2nd, Russell Stewart's b. g. My Play Boy; 3rd, H. G. Fortune's gr. g. Blue Ridge; 4th, Mrs. P. G. Cole's ch. m. Tiplin.

Open Jumper. 1st, Mrs. Oscar Ehrhorn's **Socks**; 2nd, Kay Taylor's b. g. Little Duke; 3rd, William Tyler's b. m. Meadow Brook; 4th, Rochester Cavalry Troop's b. g. Ruskin.

Hunters, outside course. 1st, H. G. Fortune's ch. g. Garling; 2nd, Mrs. G. W. Johnson's blk. g. Cheerio; 3rd, H. G. Fortune's gr. g. Blue Ridge; 4th, Mrs. P. G. Cole's ch. m. Tiplin.

Open Jumper. 1st, Mrs. Oscar Ehrhorn's **Socks**; 2nd, Kay Taylor's b. g. Little Duke; 3rd, William Tyler's b. m. Meadow Brook; 4th, Rochester Cavalry Troop's b. g. Ruskin.

Jumpers, performance only. 1st, Joseph Vanono, Jr.'s Jack Frost; 2nd, Sleepy Hollow Country Club's pinto g. Captain; 3rd, Nancy Douglas's Ben.

Thoroughbred Hunters. 1st, Eleanor Moffett's ch. m. Candolette; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dunn's ch. g. Epindal; 3rd, Mrs. P. G. Cole's ch. m. Tiplin; 4th, Gerry Gregory's ch. m. Straight Play.

Open Jumper. 1st, Dr. P. G. Cole's ch. g. Post Entry; 2nd, Russell Stewart's b. g. My Play Boy; 3rd, Sleepy Hollow Country Club's pinto g. Captain; 4th, Mrs. Oscar Ehrhorn's **Socks**.

Knock Down and Out. 1st, Mrs. Oscar Ehrhorn's **Socks**; 2nd, William Tyler's b. m. Meadow Brook; 3rd, Daniel H. Conway's **Burma**; 4th, Dr. P. G. Cole's ch. g. Post Entry; 5th, Rochester Cavalry Troop's b. g. Ruskin.

Ladies' Hunter. 1st, H. G. Fortune's ch. g. Garling; 2nd, Eleanor Moffett's ch. m. Candolette; 3rd, Janet Ann Meade's ch. g. Shamrock.

Triple Bar. 1st, Russell Stewart's b. g. My Play Boy; 2nd, Gerry Gregory's ch. m. Straight Play; 3rd, Rochester Cavalry Troop's b. m. China Girl; 4th, Rochester Cavalry Troop's b. g. Ruskin.

Sunday, August 11

Saddle Pony. 1st, Lucy H. Drummond's b. m. Sangara; 2nd, Bent Lee Farm's ro. m. Morning Glory; 3rd, Janet Ann Meade's gr. m. Sally B.

Working Hunters. 1st, Eleanor Moffett's ch. m. Candolette; 2nd, H. G. Fortune's ch. g. Garling; 3rd, Mrs. G. W. Johnson's blk. g. Cheerio; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dunn's ch. m. Epindal.

Hunter Hacks. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dunn's ch. g. Epindal; 2nd, Mrs. P. G. Cole's ch. m. Tiplin; 3rd, Eleanor Moffett's ch. m. Candolette; 4th, H. G. Fortune's ch. g. Garling.

Knock Down and Out. 1st, Mrs. Oscar Ehrhorn's **Socks**; 2nd, Archie Lakin's Lady; 3rd, Kay Taylor's b. g. Little Duke; 4th, Russell Stewart's b. g. My Play Boy; 5th, Sleepy Hollow Country Club's pinto g. Captain.

Saddle Pony Stake. 1st, Lucy H. Drummond's b. m. Sangara; 2nd, Janet Ann Meade's gr. m. Sally B.; 3rd, Bent Lee Farm's ro. m. Morning Glory.

Open Hunter Stake. 1st, H. G. Fortune's ch. g. Garling; 2nd, Eleanor Moffett's ch. m. Candolette; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dunn's ch. g. Epindal; 4th, Mrs. P. G. Cole's ch. m. Tiplin.

The Roberts Jumper Stake. 1st, Dan Conway's **Burma**; 2nd, Dr. P. G. Cole's ch. g. Post Entry; 3rd, Russell Stewart's b. g. My Play Boy; 4th, Kay Taylor's b. g. Little Duke.

LITCHFIELD

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SUMMARIES

Local riding horses, amateurs up. 1st, Miss Dorothy Wagstaff's ch. m. Sham; 2nd, Col. Boris Samsonoff's gr. m. Bonny; 3rd, Miss Margaret B. Howe's ch. m. Connemara; 4th, Miss Frances Swan's blk. g. Yankee Doodle.

Rental Hacks. -st. Col. Boris Samsonoff's gr. m. Bonny; 2nd, Litchfield Riding Academy's ch. g. Mr. Frost; 3rd, Waccabuc Stable's g. m. Chirley Blossom; 4th, Miss Alice Kobb's br. m. Mrs. Spring Wheat.

Handy Hunters. 1st, Tipperary Stables' ch. m. Claire's Toy; 2nd, Miss Cynthia Cannon's ch. m. Mary; 3rd, Carnes Weeks, Jr.'s b. g. Toby; 4th, Randolph Tayloe's blk. g. Blackie Daw.

Hunter Hacks. 1st, Miss Audrey Hasler's g. e. Blue Peter; 2nd, Miss Dorothy Wagstaff's ch. g. Sham; 3rd, Miss Helen Adams's g. m. Easter Lily; 4th, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. Denton Rose.

Novice Jumpers, for Eugene H. Outerbridge Challenge Trophy. 1st, Lieut. John W. Morris's ch. g. Danforth; 2nd, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. Claire's Toy; 3rd, Mrs. Jessie D. Richmond's sp. g. Paycheck; 4th, Lieut. John W. Morris's br. g. Sentiment's Dan.

Working Hunters, amateurs to ride. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman P. Haight's br. m. Milestone; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney S. Gilbert's ch. m. Breda; 3rd, Mrs. Empty Stark's br. g. Writer Kipling; 4th, Miss Barbara W. Thompson's ch. m. Miss Gitters.

Road Hacks. 1st, Mark L. Sperry, Jr.'s b. m. Blue Mist; 2nd, James B. Maher's br. g. Con-fetti; 3rd, Miss Cynthia Cannon's ch. m. Mary; 4th, Miss Enid Louise Nash's b. m. Lerrailon.

Children's hunters for A. H. E. A. Junior Medal award. 1st, Miss Helen Adams's g. m. Easter Lily; 2nd, Miss Mimi De Baubigny's ch. m. Ritzlitz; 3rd, Miss Elizabeth Miller's ch. m. Mr. Joggleberry; 4th, Sherman P. Haight, Jr.'s br. g. Milestone; 5th, Miss Cynthia Cannon's ch. m. Mary; 6th, Miss Betty Anne Sliney's ch. m. Joanna.

Middleweight hunters. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney S. Gilbert's ch. m. Breda; 2nd, Miss Dorothy Wagstaff's ch. g. Sham; 3rd, Carnes

Week, Jr.'s b. g. Toby; 4th, Tipperary Stables' b. g. Hidden Talent.

Open jumpers, jumps about four feet. 1st, Randolph Tayloe's blk. g. Blackie Daw; 2nd, Leon J. Beck's ch. g. John Jorjacks; 3rd, Joey Ciancola's ch. g. Royalty; 4th, Mrs. Jessie D. Richmond's ch. g. Sun Faun.

Heavyweight hunters. 1st, Mrs. Charles P. Durfee's ch. g. John D.; 2nd, Tipperary Stables' ch. g. Relay; 3rd, Miss Cynthia Cannon's ch. g. Seccider; 4th, Tipperary Stables' ch. g. Sandy McNab.

Afternoon Events

Working teams. 1st, Mrs. James McK. Baker's entry; 2nd, Robert August's entry; 3rd, Jack Whitbeck's entry; 4th, Otto Koser's entry.

Colts, three years old. 1st, Carleton H. Palmer's g. m. Fair Trade; 2nd, Miss Kathryn Thompson's br. m. Miss Kitty Hawkins; 3rd, Col. Boris Samsonoff's Malchik.

Two-year-olds. 1st, Carleton H. Palmer's b. g. Timothy; 2nd, Carleton H. Palmer's br. g. Americansim; 3rd, Malcolm Robert's b. g. Imp.

Lightweight hunters. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney S. Gilbert's ch. m. Glenara; 2nd, Tipperary Stables' ch. m. Claire's Toy; 3rd, Mrs. Empty Stark's br. g. Writer Kipling; 4th, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. Destiny Rose.

Litchfield Bridge Path's Association trail horses. 1st, Litchfield Riding Academy's ch. g. Mr. Frost; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howe's b. g. Revelle; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman P. Haight's ch. g. Smoky; 4th, Parry D. Saylor's b. g. Son.

Corinthian hunters. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney S. Gilbert's ch. m. Glenara; 2nd, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. Claire's Toy; 3rd, Dorothy Wagstaff's ch. g. Sham; 4th, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. Destiny Rose.

Teams of three hunters. 1st, Tipperary Stable's Claire's Toy, Destiny Rose and Relay, ridden by Jack Prestage, Joe Murphy and Jack Hicks; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney S. Gilbert's Glenara, Breda and Last Proposal, ridden by Jack Hicks, Misses Audrey and Marjory Hasler; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman P. Haight's Socrates, Bachelor Boy and Milestone, ridden by Mr. Haight, Sherman, Jr., and Walter Howe, M. F. H.

Pairs of jumpers or hunters. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney S. Gilbert's Glenara and Last Proposal; 2nd, Joey Ciancola's and Miss Virginia Hannan's Royalty and Diplomat; 3rd, Mrs. Jessie D. Richmond's Sun Faun and Lady Be Good; 4th, Litchfield Academy's Big Mac and Diana.

Working hunters. 1st, Mrs. Sydney S. Gilbert's ch. m. Breda; 2nd, Mrs. Empty Stark's br. g. Writer Kipling; 3rd, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. Destiny Rose; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman P. Haight's Milestone.

Burback jumping sweepstakes. 1st, Mrs. Jessie Richmond's Lady Be Good; 2nd, Randolph Tayloe's Blackie Daw; 3rd, Miss Helen Adams's Easter Lily; 4th, James B. Maher's g. g. Grey Boy.

Knockdown and out jumper sweepstakes. 1st, Lieut. John W. Morris's Danforth; 2nd, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Gilyard's ch. m. Tradition; 3rd, James B. Maher's g. g. Grey Boy; 4th, Leon J. Beck's John Jorjacks.

Working hunter championship preliminary. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Gilbert's Breda; 2nd, Mrs. Empty Stark's Writer Kipling; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert's Glenara; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman P. Haight's Milestone.

Working hunter championship for Watertown Hunt challenge trophy. Champion: Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Gilbert's Breda; reserve: Mrs. Empty Stark's Writer Kipling.

Confirmation hunter championship final—Champion: Mr. and Mrs. Sydney S. Gilbert's Glenara 17½ points; reserve: Miss Dorothy Wagstaff's Sham 9½ points.

Jumper championship—Champion: Lieut. John W. Morris's Danforth, 10 points; reserve: Randolph Tayloe's Blackie Daw, 9 points.

Race open to men riders, residents of Litchfield County. 1st, Dr. Richard Gilyard's Betty Marr; 2nd, Miss Dorothy Wagstaff's Bree.

AVON SHOW

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Lightweight Hunters. 1st, H. V. Colt's ch. g. Bugey Man; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Faug, Jr.'s ch. g. Skyward; 3rd, H. V. Colt's ch. m. Hydroliverton; 4th, Maxwell Glover's b. g. Dex Dale.

Heavyweight Hacks. 1st, Don W. Paterson's ch. g. Ard Patrick; 2nd, John W. Miller's br. g. Sergeant Miller; 3rd, Dr. V. J. Levy's gr. g. Hercules; 4th, T. H. Clements' b. m. Bay Girl.

Ladies' Hunters. 1st, Elizabeth Ginther's b. m. Sylvan Music; 2nd, Maxwell Glover's b. g. Dex Dale; 3rd, T. H. Clements' ch. g. Dixie O'Toole.

Middle and Heavyweight. 1st, Don W. Paterson's ch. g. Ard Patrick; 2nd, T. H. Clements' ch. g. Dixie O'Toole; 3rd, Betty Snyder's br. g. Judge; 4th, H. V. Colt's ch. g. Carrigbawa.

Amateur Jumping. 1st, C. A. Ward's ch. m. Capella; 2nd, Donald C. Brown's br. m. Colleen O'Donoghue; 3rd, Robert Mage's ch. m. Harmony; 4th, T. H. Clements' ch. g. Dixie O'Toole.

Open Jumping. 1st, Betty Snyder's br. g. Judge; 2nd, James Meisenzahl's b. g. Ard Clu; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cohen's ch. g. Kopper King; 4th, Robert Mage's ch. m. Harmony.

Suitable to Become Hunters. 1st, Maxwell Glover's ch. g. No Hurry; 2nd, Edward Lavery's b. g. Nomark; 3rd, Thomas Clements' b. g. Hurry Mum; 4th, T. H. Clements' b. m. Eleanor.

Green Hunters. 1st, H. V. Colt's ch. g. Carrigbawa; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Maurer's ch. g. Stardust; 3rd, T. H. Clements' ch. g. Dixie O'Toole; 4th, John Miller's br. g. Sergeant Miller.

Pairs of Hunters. 1st, Don Patterson's ch. g. Ard Patrick and T. H. Clements' ch. g. Dixie O'Toole; 2nd, Donald Brown's br. m. Colleen O'Donoghue and John Miller's br. g. Sergeant Miller.

Touch and Out. 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cohen's ch. g. Kopper King; 2nd, Donald Brown's br. m. Colleen O'Donoghue; 3rd, Betty Snyder's br. g. Judge; 4th, George Wemett's ch. g. Bingo.

Model Hunters. 1st, Maxwell Glover's ch. g. No Hurry; 2nd, Elizabeth Ginther's b. m. Sylvan Music; 3rd, H. V. Colt's ch. m. Hydroliverton; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Maurer's b. g. Stardust.

Champion Hunter: Don Patterson's ch. g. Ard Patrick; Reserve: Elizabeth Ginther's b. m. Sylvan Music.

Children's Amateur Event. 1st, Robert Glover; 2nd, Ralph Bow; 3rd, Leland Gardiner.

In The Country:-



Blockade Sold

Louis Merryman, well known auctioneer, who has the Herrick-Merryman Co., which is handling the dispersal of the E. Shirley Turner horses on Saturday, August 31, was over in Middleburg on Sunday and told of a rumor that is abroad in Maryland, of the sale of **Blockade**. Mrs. E. Read Beard, it is said, has parted company with her 3 time Maryland winning son of **Man O'War** and C. E. Tuttle, owner of **Friction** is the new owner. It is recalled that Louis Merryman Jr., rode **Friction**, 8-year-old son of **Canter**, in The Maryland last April.

Sea Soldier Hunts at 18

In 1922, **Sea Name**, by **Seahorse II**, bred by J. Temple Gwathmey, foaled a colt by **Man o'War**. This chestnut, one of **Man o'War**'s first get, was named **Friendship Two** and later renamed **Sea Soldier** to carry the colors of the Mill Creek Stable to many a triumph over timber. At 18, this gallant gelding, who once drove a splintered rail through his chest when he hit the old stone-wall at Middleburg, but still finished gamely to be beaten a length in the Middleburg Cup, is Huntsman Joe Jasper's favorite mount to hounds. He is now doing road-work as Mill Creek Harriers (Ill.) are fitted for current cubbing and later drag and foxhunting fixtures. The Chronicle saw him on August 6, when he appeared in excellent condition, carrying plenty of weight and with but little signs of his years. The splintered-rail scar is still discernible, even the marks of the some 18 clips which were used to tie him together.

Bridlespur Cards

Fixture cards for September and October have been mailed for Bridlespur Hounds (Mo.), showing 5:30 A. M. meeting times commencing on Monday, Sept. 2, Labor Day. The official opening meet will be held on Sept. 29, when hounds will meet at Henry Blank's Schoettler Road estate at 9 A. M. Thereafter Sunday morning hunts will meet at 9 A. M. and Wednesday and Saturday meets are carded at 3 P. M. through October. Mrs. Henry Kaltenback is M. F. H., Milton G. Kahle, Field Master, and Hart Vance, Jr., Secretary. For those who do not jump there will be a Member of the Pink Coat Committee who will lead a special flight.

Black Boy Jumped Fence

Peggy Sampson, from around Richmond, Va., has Newton T. Mayo handling her Open Horses. One of these is **Black Boy**, a 7-year-old son **Grey Marquee** and the other is **Black Boy's** 5-year-old son **Hi Ho Silver**. **Black Boy** is an extraordinary jumper and was so as a colt. He jumped a big fence as a coming 2-year-old to cover the mare **Mary Carter** and get **Hi Ho Silver**, who even exceeds his daddy as an Open Jumper. **Hi Ho Silver** demonstrated this at Bath County's Horse Show when he trotted up to some of the 4'-6" fences to clear them. Both are geldings now and they are almost consistently in the ribbons.

Mayo to Open Richmond Stable

As America needed the good 5c cigar, so Newton T. Mayo feels that Richmond, Va., needs a cracking

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good hunter and saddle horse stable. He intends to develop this, with practice rings, jumps, rides and all that goes with a good livery and boarding stable, on Route 2 near Bowling Green, between Richmond and Hanover Court House. He believes, with a suitable place to ride and work horses, that more Richmond Show and Hunt Meeting owners may be developed.

The Gordon McGeochs

Up near Warm Springs, Va., the Gordon McGeochs, of the Oconomowoc Hunt territory near Milwaukee, Wis., have their Mill Run Farm. He used to have **Copper Plate**, a hunter formerly of the Pabst Stables, for hunting out in Wisconsin. They have **Solitaire**, a **Court Day** 5-year-old and she has a gaily marked saddle horse named **Lucky Penny**. They intend to raise a few hunters and to make Virginia their home more and more.

"Butterfly" Spellbinds

When "Butterfly" Breckenridge, from up around Hot Springs, Va., rode into the Bath County Horse Show ring on his **Blue Eagle** there was first a sudden hush and then an excited murmur from the crowd. **Blue Eagle** is 6 and by **Navigator—Vendetta**. He stands but 15.3 and what he lacks in size he makes up in speed. No timber horse ever went down to a fence faster than **Blue Eagle**. "Butterfly" dons kid gloves and lets **Blue Eagle** roll. There was a definite sigh of relief as he rode out of the ring safely.

Orphaned in Hot Springs

Jean Schmidlapp, of Foxcroft School fame, is with her family, the Carl Schmidlapps, of N. Y. at the Homestead at Hot Springs, Va. She has her orphaned down there and showed this ***Rieghlock—Righting** mare in many events in the Bath County Show.

Mill Creek Master Driver

When The Chronicle and Louis Duffey, of Middleburg, recently had the pleasure of visiting the Mill Creek Hunt, north of Lake Forest, Ill., the matter of time was not of moment, so interesting were the Harriers and horses there. S. Prentice Porter, Master of Mill Creek had been generous enough to give up his day for The Chronicle's inspection. Mrs. Porter departed earlier for the Washington Park races. The afternoon drew on until it was suddenly appreciated that but an hour and a half remained to catch the plane for the Chicago air port, and John F. Jelke Jr.'s "Oak Hill Farm" stables then held the interest. Mr. Porter showed how he knew his suburban Chicago, as well as he knows his Mill Creek country in which he hunts the Harrier pack himself, as he negotiated the some 60 miles to catch the plane by 3 minutes. (The car belonged to his brother, it replaced one lost in a recent fire and was so new it had no license plates). Still Mr. Porter was calm, relating while he drove of how the first unofficial cubbing was to take place on the morrow (Aug. 7). Both foxhunting and drag-hunting is to be enjoyed regularly this season, with a new fixture card to be mailed Sept. 1.

New Hunt Meeting Owner.

Allan Hirsh Jr., who but recently has returned from his Plattsburg encampment experiences, to ride Meadow Lane Farm entries to wins at the Bath County Show, told The Chronicle of **Surtax**, 4-year-old son of **Court Day**, soon to be put in training. It is to be hoped that this **Court Day** son may sustain the record of the late and ill-fated **Court Time** who had an enviable Hunt Meeting record over fences in 1939.

Virginia Reality Moves.

According to an article in The Chronicle on July 19, Meadow Lane Farm Warm Springs, Va. was owned by Allan Hirsh Jr. The most recent advice from Mr. Hirsh Sr., when The Chronicle interviewed him at Bath County Show, when he was deluged with blues won by Meadow Lane ***San Utars**, is that he has got his own farm back.

"Do Not Clap"

A large bold lettered sign hangs along the rail at Bath County's

ring, advising the spectators: "Please do not clap when horses are jumping."

Nails on Boards and Rails

There isn't much rail-hanging and very little sitting on the boards and rails about the Bath County Horse Show grounds' ring-side in front of the boxes. Nails have been driven and they protrude about 3-8's of an inch. Not sharp, the blunt heads are still uncomfortable to sit or lean upon.

American vs. English

O'Malley Knott of New York, who was judging the Bath County Show has some very interesting comparative ideas on American vs English cubbing. It is to be hoped that he will have time to put these thoughts in writing for The Chronicle, as he has all but promised.

Balkanion's Side-Saddle

Mrs. George Watts Hill's "Quail Roost Stables" **Balkanion**, whose beauty carried him to the Bath County, (Va.) tricolor last Friday, carried a side-saddle for the first time in his life and took a blue along with his effort. Sue Fuller was up and won the Ladies' Side-Saddle Class, as Kathleen Tuke was 2nd on Homestead Stables' **Nancy Ray** and Mrs. Fay Inalls, M. F. H. was 3rd on her striking new **Sauntering**, purchased last winter in Southern Pines.

From Jumpers to Saddle Horses

Mrs. William Haggin Perry, whose ability at getting blues with Conformation Hunters and even booting Open Jumpers to awards is known, sprung from her **Huntley Glen**, Open Jumper Champion at Bath County, to ride Anthony Rives' **Linden Lane Pony Farm Miss Gladeyes** in the Ladies' Saddle Class. The competition was close as Jean McCullough rode her father's (J. T. McCullough, of Kittanning, Pa.) **Smart Ellen**. Mrs. Perry showed a definite hunter seat trend, despite lengthening her leathers, and Miss McCullough out-smarted her in turn-out, with her tuxedo and long black attire. Still, it was performance and Miss Gladeyes excelled in her three gaits, and the McCullough entry, the winner in '39, was 2nd.

Whaddon Chase—Saluda Destroyed

Saratoga steeplechasing suffered a blow of double intensity with the deaths of two of the country's foremost brush horses within a week, which will no doubt put a pall over the sport for the rest of the meeting, though both deaths, resulting from unfortunate accidents, were in no wise attributable to the course itself. Groton Stable's **Saluda** was the first victim. The 7-year-old **By Hisself** gelding, after unloading his rider about midway of the course in an allowance 'chase on August 3, was discovered to have fractured a bone in his knee. The injury was not suspected until the horse had been caught and returned to his stable when swelling occurred in the knee and an X-ray disclosed the fracture. It was later concluded that he must have stumbled against one of the concrete drains on the track's edge while running loose after his mishap in the race. C. Hahlon Kline's 5-year-old **Whaddon Chase**, who finished so gamely in the Shellelah Handicap last Saturday, despite being so obviously lame, suffered torn ligaments in his quarters which resulted from hitting a fence in the race. When he was pulled up after hobbling across

the finish line he appeared to cord up so that at first it was thought to be his kidneys that were injured. After he had been removed from the course in the animal ambulance, a more thorough examination revealed the injury to be in his quarters. Both horses were mercifully destroyed. Curiously enough, it was **Saluda** who won the Shellelah last year, defeating **Airly Beacon**, ***Cottesmore** and others. He also won the Temple Gwathmey Memorial that same season. **Whaddon Chase**, a son of ***Monk's Way—Witchery** was likewise a leading stake-winner of last year, numbering among his victories Saratoga's Beverwyck Handicap, the Brook and the Grand National at Belmont and the Fair Hill Steeplechase. **Saluda**, whom Groton claimed from Thomas Hitchcock, broke the track record at Pimlico last year for two miles and the record, 3.52 1-5 still stands.

Hay \$35. Per Ton

Bee Reasures, of Brook House, Riseley, England. In a recent letter dated July 9, to her friend Joy Hansel, of "Little Fields," Staunton, Va., stated: "at one stage oats were 1 pound (\$5.) a cwt instead of 7 pre war and hay 7 Pound a ton." Speaking of last hunting season: "it was hard to realize there was a war on here in the country last winter except for the news bulletins and friends being killed out in France. Hounds hunted 2 days a week instead of 4 but we always had quite a crowd of people out, especially on Saturdays. It was not a good scenting season, and we lost no end of days through frost and snow, but there were some red letter days. It was a disastrous season financially. Continued on Page Sixteen

Classified Ads

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for us, as there was very little hiring. I managed to get 5 livery horses out, but prices were so high that out of 2 Pounds 2 Shillings a week I received per horse, there was exactly 2-left for me and this did not include extras as saddle soap, sponges, rent of stables, etc.—Now that the War has entered into such a serious phase, I do not know whether there will be any hunting at all next winter.—I have made drastic reductions in my stud and have sold 3 hunters to good homes for anything I could get and have had 2 old horses put down. There are more who ought to go before next winter, one of them a grey I have had for 17 years, my first hunter when I was still at school. He is still sound and well and goes hacking and only retired from hunting 2 seasons ago. Racing has been stopped for the time being.—It was amazing the crowds that managed to get to Newmarket. I saw some wonderful racing there. My favorite 3-year-olds are **Djebel**, the winner of the Guineas, Lord Derby's **Lighthouse** who failed so miserably in the Derby and Aga Khan's **Stardust** and **Turkhan**. In was a tragedy that **Djebel** went back to France after the Guineas as he could not get back for the Derby. I did not like **Pont L'Evêque**, the Derby winner very much. I think he was lucky to beat **Lighthouse** and **Turkhan**.—My brother and I have still managed to hang on to 2 of our thoroughbred mares and foals. They ought to be worth some money when the War is over. One of the foals is by **Fearless Fox** and the other is by a horse called **North Drift**.—I expect you, like us, are desperately sorry for France, Belgium, Holland and all the other countries Germany has overrun. I am afraid they are in for an awful time this winter. We in England are much better off than they. I do hope that when this War is over you will be able to get over to have a season's hunting with us and that we can keep the Stables going until you arrive."

Cumberland Fiasco

Steeplechasing at the "Foot of the Knobby Mountains" seemed to reach a peak of confusion last Friday, August 9, which according to local news reports ended in two jockeys being suspended for the balance of Cumberland meeting and headaches to numerous backers of the favorite. This was R. C. Waple's **War Port**, and he carried most of that day's brush waging on his nose as he confidently led his field toward the finish. Unfortunately what Jockey Cruz mistook for the finish was simply another milestone in the turns of the course. The cheers which heralded him as he headed in R. L. Pearson's **Champfleury** were soon subdued as it became evident that he had come home a turn too soon. J. Fred Adams, Jr. shouted from the infield at Jockey Poland aboard his **Jacamar** to keep on going. This he did with the balance of the field following suit. Jockey Mitchell, aboard **Champfleury**, was apparently "so disgusted with himself for following **War Port** off the course that he just sat on **Champfleury** in the center of the field." **Jacamar**, then well in the lead, came home correctly to win by ten lengths and pay his few backers \$42.20 for a \$2 ticket, while C. M. Greer, Jr.'s **Cynab** who was second paid \$71.70 to place.

New Hope Suffolks at Timonium

Norman J. Mortimer, whose Suffolk stallion **Cherry Hill Mack** is said to be as adept over fences as many a thoroughbred, will have a chance to prove this horse's propensities as a hunter sire at the Maryland Breeders' Show in Timonium on September 9, for he is sending **Cherry Hill Mack's** progeny from thoroughbred mares to compete in the Half-Bred Suitable classes and 'tis said these youngsters are something to fill the eyes of any connoisseur of heavyweight hunter types. This show, by the way, is arousing no end of interest with its plan to have Judge William du Pont, Jr., announce the reasons for his placings after each class. So many breeders have waxed enthusiastic already that the committee have decided to separate the 2-year-old, 3-year-old and 4-year-old classes into Thoroughbred and Half-Bred divisions.

Double Habit With Edgemont

Scoring a double victory, such as did R. L. Pearson's steeplechaser **Edgemont** at Cumberland last week when he first headed home M. B. Goss's **Judge's Bid** on August 8, then returned on August 10 to lead D. B. Barrows' **Quakersteet** over the line, is nothing new in that veteran's career. The 10-year-old **Chatterton**—**Persian Blue** gelding did the same thing two years ago when racing for John Bosley at Timonium, winning first The Rogers Forge Steeplechase over the Louis Leith-trained **Carl's Choice** on September 7, then accounting for The Stoneleigh Steeplechase on September 9, over Mrs. D. Chamblin's **Editeur** and others.

*Galatea II in Maryland

War refugee ***Galatea II**, Robin Sterling Clark's distinguished daughter of **Dark Legend**—**Galatada** and winner of both the Two Thousand Guineas and Epsom Oaks last year, is now residing at Chester F. Hockley's Meadowview Farm in Baltimore County, Md., and is reported in foal to the English sire **Feistead**. Another notable from the other side who will make his home in Maryland is the stallion **Bauram**, undefeated Triple Crown winner who was recently bought by a syndicate of Alfred Vanderbilt, Walter Chrysler, Jr., and Sylvester Labrot, Jr., from the Aga Khan's famous stud.

White Way's Owners

With the winner's end of the Knock Down and Out class and other awards, Fred A. Haycox, Jr. won sufficient points to gain the Reserve Jumper Championship at the recent Bath County Horse Show at Hot Springs, Va., with his **White Way**. This 11-year-old grey has experienced a round-robin of owners. First he was bought by Good Watkins of Richmond from a nearby farmer who sold him over the telephone to Charles B. Godwin. A little tough on the mouth, he could not be used for the child Mr. Godwin had in mind, so **White Way** was given to James Causey, of Norfolk, Va. Hugh Holland, attorney in Suffolk County was interested in buying, but didn't act quickly enough and Mr. Causey sold the grey jumper to Manley Carter, Orange, Va., Mr. Holland was "dogged-that-does-it" and went up to Mr. Carter's and brought the 16.1 gelding back to the Richmond area again. Then it was that Fred A. Haycox secured **White Way** for his son Fred, Jr., who is now succeeded famously with the jumper.

Bryn Mawr Honors Messerve Memory

Mrs. J. Erichs Messerve, Republican National Committeewoman of Charleston, S. C., has asked the Bryn Mawr Horse Show to renew the Middleweight Hunter Championship Cup in memory of her late husband, who was the cup's donor for the past several years. Mr. Messerve, who died in Charleston on July 1, had intended coming to Bryn Mawr to see his cup awarded at the conclusion of the 4-day exhibition on September 28. Mr. and Mrs. Plunket Stewart's hunter **Andrew** has won the trophy for the past two years.

Chestnut Ridge Committee

Evelyn Thompson, Joint M. F. H. Chestnut Ridge Punt, at Uniontown, Pa., is general chairman for the 3-day Chestnut Ridge Hunt Horse Show, to be held from Thursday, August 22 through Saturday, August 23. Co-chairmen for the Allied Relief Fund are Mary Thompson and Mrs. Lawrence Parshall, both of Uniontown, while handling the secretarial duties is Posey Boyd, of Sewickley and Mrs. Bertram C. Cence, of Dunbar, is manager. The hard working group of committee chairmen includes I. L. Horewits, for program and publicity; Mrs. J. Kirk Renner, trophies; Mrs. Reid Thackston and Mrs. William J. Davidson, tickets. The stable and ring management will be under supervision of Wylie L. Byers, Jr., and Marianna Weddell will handle the entertainment problems.

Mrs. Harrison Christens "Grayson"

Ere heading for Saratoga to see their Blue Ridge Stud yearlings go under the hammer last Tuesday night, Mrs. George L. Harrison and three sons Gordon, William and Cary T. Grayson, Jr., turned their attention southwards last week, to Charleston S. C., where Mrs. Harrison christened the destroyer "Grayson", named in honor of her late husband Admiral Grayson at the Charleston Navy Yard on August 7.

Litchfield Horsemanship

Among the record crowd of patrons at Connecticut's Litchfield Horse Show last Saturday, Aug. 10, was Lt. James L. McConaughty of Conn. He presented the Good Hands Cup to Betty Ann Sliney, who expects to compete for championship honors at the National. Mimi de Baubigny, a well known rider of Darien will also go to the Garden, now that she has won the horsemanship event over jumps for the Alfred B. MacLay trophy.

Hights Active At Litchfield

Sherman P. Haight, president of the Watertown Hunt was also president of the Litchfield Show and did

a splendid job of organizing every department. He was on hand to ride in the Working Hunter class, which he won with **Milestone**. This was one of the keenly contested events of the morning session and in it **Milestone** defeated the eventual Champion **Breda**, of Glendu Farm. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Haight with their daughter Tracy and son Sherman, Jr. won the family class. Then Sherman P. Hights, Sr. and Jr., made a quick change to hunting livery and, with Walter Howe, M. F. H., showed **Socrates**, **Milestone** and **Bachelor Boy** in an excellent performance over the outside course, taking 3rd in the Hunt Teams.

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